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MAYOR GAGGERO STARTS FIREHOUSE PROJECT IN MOTION



A host of VIPs gathered recently for groundbreaking ceremonies at the site of the new Westlake firehouse, Lake Merced and Alemany boulevards. Contractor William Moroney has completed most of the preliminary excavation at the site and

is now installing the foundation. Structural steel will be erected soon. Mayor Anthony Gaggero throws out initial spadeful of ground, while viewing the ceremonies are (left to right): Dan Andersen, city administrator;

Councilman Joseph Verducci, Fire Chief Elmer Kennedy, Councilman Edward J. Dennis, Councilman James Kennedy, B. Poncetia, Doelger executive; John Doelger; Architect Louis Baldini, and Moroney.

POLICE PRESS HUNT FOR SAFE-CRACKERS

A series of break-ins plagued Daly City police over the weekend but in most cases the burglars realized very little gain.

An attempt to crack the safe at the Shoe Fair, 2049 Junipero Serra boulevard, was thwarted Sunday when a janitor and two other men frightened off the burglars.

Rufus Skipworth, 3548 Geary, San Francisco, a janitor, said he entered the establishment about 3 a.m. with two fellow workers and heard noises.

Calling out "who's there," the men received no answer but heard "more than one" voice.

The burglars escaped through a hole they had cut in the roof. Police searched the area, to no avail, but believe they have an idea who "fingered" the job.

According to Monte Ambinder, proprietor of the Shoe Fair, Myron "Red" Walker, 46, a former acquaintance of Ambinder's, who is now serving a year's sentence in Alameda county jail for second degree burglary, used to tell him about how simple it would be to enter the place.

According to Ambinder, Walker had said the job could be done by "working around" the area "bugged" by the burglar alarm. The burglars gained entry by

cutting through the ceiling and lowering themselves to the main floor with a rope.

They were unsuccessful in their attempt to crack the safe and apparently overlooked a box containing petty cash.

Police Chief Roland Petrocchi said the job bore many of the marks of two previous safe-cracking attempts here during the past three weeks, but said he could not be certain of any tie-in.

The culprits left behind "professional" tools consisting of three punches, a burlap sack, screwdriver, wrecking bar, two sledges, pry and punch bar, two braces and bits and a length of rope.

Some \$115 worth of damage was done Friday and Saturday between 5 p.m. and 7:30 a.m. when vandals broke into a shed at the Big Bear Lumber company on Junipero Serra boulevard and broke \$55 worth of windows and destroyed \$60 worth of ceiling tile and sheet-rock.

Frank Fullam, painting contractor of 116 North Mayfair avenue, reported more than \$300 in brushes stolen Saturday between 12:15 a.m. and 2:40 a.m.

Thieves tried the lock and hasp off his storage shed to get at the brushes.

50 Dog Owners Enter Protests

Broadmoor Xmas Lighting Contest Plans Announced

Broadmoor home-owners will compete in three different categories in this year's Christmas decorations contest, sponsored by that area's Property Owners' association.

Judges will select a home best portraying the biblical theme, one carrying out the storybook aspect, and will name the best-decorated block in the area.

Prizes, in order, for winners of the biblical and storybook categories will be: Clock-radio, glass enclosed 400-day clock; set of TV trays and a bedroom clock.

Each home in the winning block will receive theater tickets.

Judging will be based on original ideas, distinctiveness, aptness of holiday theme and unity of theme. The judging will begin six days prior to Christmas and displays should be lighted during that period.

All homes in Broadmoor are eligible except those of the committee members and their relatives.

Maryann M. Read and Jack Baker, directors of the association, are in charge of the contest.

A good portion of the city's health and protection facilities became involved yesterday (Thursday) when a pint-sized squirrel escaped from its cage and took a cook's tour of the neighborhood.

The pet, owned by Mrs. Dean Wood, 34 Hillcrest drive, mother of police officer Wood of the same name, escaped just before noon and firemen were immediately summoned, since the animal had taken sanctuary at the top of a telephone pole.

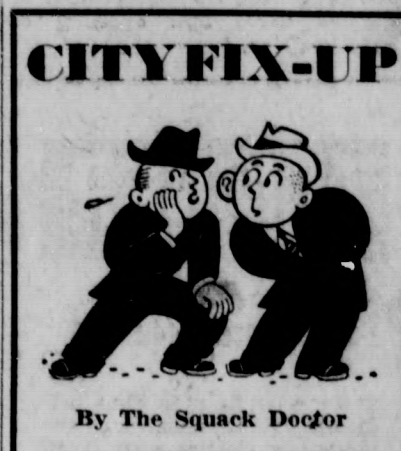
Five able-bodied firemen reported, but by the time they got there the squirrel had climbed down on his own accord.

The quintet of fire fighters then put out a cordon for the elusive animal, who added insult to injury by returning to the cage of his own volition, finding life outside over-populated with human beings and firemen.

During his foray, however, the squirrel had taken a nip out of a bystander, Dan Davis, 63 Mission Circle, and the man had to be taken to Junipero Serra hospital for treatment. A "police escort" followed up the case, to get a report on Davis' injuries.

Davis is reported in good shape, as is the squirrel, who no doubt later avowed "there's no place like home."

During the reading of the account of their lives, the couple were astounded by the appearance of friends from such distant spots (Continued on Page 2)



TWO-DOG LAW "DISASTROUS" TO BREEDERS

Acting on the belief that the city council was considering an ordinance limiting Daly City families to two dogs, a throng of 50 dog owners descended on the council chambers Monday night, complete with legal representation and a spokesman from the British Isles.

The group, organized in the past two weeks for the purpose of defeating any such rumored ordinance, is known as the Dog Owners Group.

A similar ordinance, passed recently in Los Altos, Calif., turned that small community on its heels and the Daly City group wishes to nip the proposed legislation in the bud before it becomes law here.

Attorney for the dog owners, Clayton Garvey, told the council that "it would be disastrous if pedigree dog owners were limited to two dogs."

He pointed out that many people complain there are too many dogs running the streets.

This argument, he said, is not valid, since Section IV of an ordinance passed in Daly City on April 15, 1911, outlines the duty of the poundmaster to "seize all dogs running on public property."

The penal code, he continued, defines the type of animal which is a menace to society. The show dogs, in general, he said, rarely fall in that category.

President Speaks
Next to take up the case was Roy Wingo, 72 Alexander avenue, president of the group.

He pointed out that he represented people whose hobby it was to show dogs. "One dog in a thousand is a good show dog," he said. "We can't pick out the dog with the best potential out of a fresh born litter. It takes at least five or six months to discover the best (Continued on Page 2)

THE TOWN RECORD

By MONTE DAYTON

Officer DEAN WOOD of the local constabulary had the disarming task of picking up a couple of nudes this week in the line of duty.

One was completely stitchless, while the other offender was partially dressed (he had a hat on).

There's no danger of a Daly City colony, however. The nudists were sub juveniles (in the neighborhood of two years old) and were merely out for their morning constitutional.

FRED HORST of Altaville, father of MARY BRITNER, 238 Second avenue, Daly City, probably thinks funerals are a bad omen these days.

While going to a wake last Friday, the car in which he and five other persons were riding overturned. Among those hurt was his wife, MARY.

He's resting none-too-comfortably now in Turlock hospital, where he's thinking, no doubt, of turning down any further opportunities to attend funerals, friend or no friend. He might wind up riding to his own.

Bonus unfounded rumor of the week: Jefferson high school, coming into its own as an athletic power in the Peninsula Athletic league, might someday switch over to the Academic Athletic Association, which includes San Francisco teams.

The idea is a world beater. Travelling costs would be reduced tremendously, while gates would be much riper. There's only two obstacles to such a switch: First, getting out of the PAL; Second, getting into the AAA. Minor details.

Rugged Individualist JIM O'BRIEN, popular local haberdasher, was seen a bitter cold morning this week out swabbing his windows to pretty them up for the Christmas business.

How he does it without messing up those elegant duds, is anybody's guess, but maybe Mrs. O does exert some influence.

At Monday night's council session (Continued on Page 2)

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Three Polio Cases Here For November

The Daly City-Colma area led the county in polio cases for the month of November, according to the morbidity report issued this week by the county health department.

The report listed three instances of polio in Daly City for the month, two in Colma, one of which was a fatality.

Daly City-Colma area's cases amounted to more than one-third of the total reported for the entire county, 14. The city of San Mateo had three instances of the dread disease.

Still the county total for the month was below that for the same month last year, 18, and the county median over a five year period, also 18.

Other diseases reported for this area during November were: Chicken pox—Daly City and Colma, one each; German Measles—Daly City, one; Tuberculosis—Daly City, three.

RECORD Participates For First Time In All-PAL Grid Selections

For the first time in the history of THE RECORD, northern San Mateo county's leading newspaper, was represented in the Peninsula Sportswriters association's meeting last week to name the All-Peninsula Athletic league team.

The association has extended its invitation to this newspaper to become a regular voting member and we will participate in future selections of all-league teams.

See sports page for story on All-PAL team, which included three Jefferson gridders.

Firemen's Dinner Is Interrupted By Fireplace Blaze

A Daly City's veteran firemen's dinner was rudely interrupted last Thursday at 9 p.m. by a blaze that did an estimated \$1000 damage.

According to firemen, the blaze in a fireplace at 80 Los Olivos, home of Dorothy Brown, jumped into the attic and spread to the roof.

The fire fighters had to cut holes in the roof to quell the flames.

Shortly after that the department was summoned to snuff out a burning telephone pole that had become ignited at 121 East Vista when a 4400 volt line broke loose.

Wednesday night at 8:25 o'clock firemen were called to 426 Miriam, where a pair of trousers laid on a heater became too hot, falling to the floor and causing minor damage. Resident of the home was Robert Sullivan.

COLMA YOUTH HURT WHEN HIT BY AUTO

A ten-year old Colma youth received minor hurts Saturday when the bicycle he was riding collided with a car driven by Horace Smith, 51, a carpenter of the Doelger company.

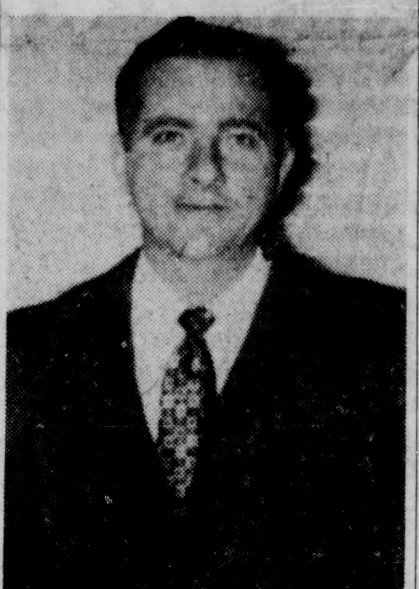
According to police, Smith was going east on Castle street when he hit Gary Guaraldi, 320 Third avenue, throwing him to the pavement.

The child was treated for leg bruises and pavement burns at Junipero Serra hospital.

Smith was cited by police for driving without due caution.

SF Man Is Named Assistant Cashier At Bank of America

The appointment of Clinton Tremain of San Francisco as pro-assistant cashier at the Daly City branch of the Bank of America



was announced recently by Dan Harris, branch manager.

A veteran of 15 years service with the Bank of America, Tremain more recently served on the staff of the district operation officer.

He replaces Harvey Fannucci, who has been transferred to another branch.

Tremain resides at 434 Circular avenue with his wife, Jane, and daughters, Susan, 4, and Vickie, 3. Between the years 1941-45 Tremain served with the U. S. Navy as a commissary steward.

FIXA REMINDS XMAS SHOPPERS OF HOURS AT DC POST OFFICE

Postmaster John F. Fixa again reminded Daly City residents of the holiday hours for the local post office.

Tomorrow (Saturday) the local office will remain open from 8 a.m. until 6 p.m.

These hours will also be in effect on Saturday and Sunday, December 19 and 20, Fixa said.

Air Force Clears Up "Earthquake" Tremors

A short-lived panic was caused in the Daly City area Monday afternoon when two sharp blasts rocked homes throughout the area, doing slight damage.

Air Force officials later explained that the sharp jolts were caused by super jet planes breaking the sound barrier.

One Daly City resident reported a fireplace cracked by the tremors. THE RECORD phone lines were tied for nearly an hour with persons inquiring as to the nature of the "explosions."

Military authorities claim that the force of the air wave explosions are "harmless."

LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICTS GET STATE FUNDS

Jefferson elementary and high school districts have received nearly \$700,000 as their share of the 7 million dollars of state apportionment funds for 1953-54.

Although many of San Mateo county's districts received less money this year, due to the sharp increase in assessed valuations in the county, both local districts were granted substantially higher amounts this year. This was due to the increase in average daily attendance at the elementary and high schools of this area. The state bases its apportionment on average attendance throughout the year.

Jefferson high district received \$130,680, based on \$120 per student, which was nearly \$10,000 above the figure granted last year.

The elementary district was forwarded \$537,437.40, as compared with \$428,848 last year. The apportionment was based on \$168.848 last year. The apportionment was based on \$168.08 per pupil.

CELEBRATION FOR PIONEER COUPLE HELD

A "This Is Your Life" program, equalling in surprises the television show by that name, was held Saturday night for Mr. and Mrs. Matrup Jensen of Colma, pioneer Californians.

The event, attended by more than 350 persons, was sponsored by Bethel No. 26 of the International Order of Jobs' Daughters and was held at the Mission Masonic Temple.

During the reading of the account of their lives, the couple were astounded by the appearance of friends from such distant spots (Continued on Page 2)

Search Thornton Cliffs For Missing S.F. Man

County deputies will scour the cliffs above Thornton beach today (Friday) in an intensified search for Clarence Lear, 27, San Francisco bank clerk, who disappeared in the vicinity over a month ago.

Lear's parents appealed to Sheriff Earl B. Whitmore to continue the search for their son, who vanished on November 4 while on a morning outing at Thornton beach.

Whitmore pointed out that there are hundreds of crevasses and indentations in the cliff which might hold the body. He said that it is unlikely that Lear could have fallen to the bottom of the cliff.

The sheriff's office wants to determine definitely whether or not Lear's body is on the rugged embankment.

The Christmas Story

DALY CITY VIEWS

The Story of Christmas is written all over Daly City this week, both spiritually and economically, as the community prepares for the observance of the one-thousand, nine hundred and fifty-third anniversary of the birth of Christ.

In the various shopping areas, merchants are keeping their doors open until late in the evening to attract the expected volume of customers in quest of presents.

In the Westlake Shopping Center, businessmen have offered kiddies rides on the City of Westlake miniature train as an inducement to spur traffic. The area is bedecked in the Christmas motif, with a giant Christmas scene overlooking the square. Most of the shops are remaining open until 9 p.m.

Carols heralding the coming of Christmas greet the shopper at the Broadmoor shopping area, where



the majority of dry goods retailers are leaving their doors open until 9 p.m. in anticipation of the Christmas rush.

The city of Daly City this week began installation of hundreds of multi-colored Christmas lights, to overhang Mission street from the county line on the north to Market street in the south.

Christmas home lighting, becoming an annual Yuletide competition, will be held again this year, with separate contests scheduled in Broadmoor and Westlake. The contests are sponsored by improvement associations of both areas. (See story on details of Broadmoor decorations.)

Meanwhile, churches and social organizations are scheduling special services and activities as Christmas preliminaries. The Christmas Party, restricted in office circles to the day before the (Continued on Page 2)

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sion, a dog fancier, indignant over charges by some citizens that the canines were loose in their habits of toilet, emphasized his argument thusly: "After all, they're only human."

Oh well, it's been said that "it's a dog's life!"

Here we are again with that bar bit again.

After an alteration of the original item last week, we find it necessary to alter the alteration.

According to the J. CRUDOS they are in the clear on the alleged liquor law violation at Hilltop Lodge.

They sold out on August 1.

The alleged violation took place three weeks later, at which time GEORGE KIRCHHUBER was the legal proprietor. He's scheduled to appear in court today (Friday) on the charge, by the way.

Maybe they can get this matter settled in the courts. We're having a hard time doing it in print.

Fifty Dog Owners Enter Protests

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dog. Some of them go sour after a few months."

As Wingo spoke, the dog followers kept pouring into the chambers, nearly filling the room.

Wingo also asked the council, "What are we to do with retired show dogs? Take them out and gas them?"

Don't Run Streets

He pointed out that dog owners were proud of their animals, and couldn't afford to let them run the streets, much less allow them to become unsanitary.

He further explained to the council that many show dog owners moved to Daly City solely for the reason that it was an ideal place to raise their animals.

Vice president of the group, Mrs. G. Ducher, 133 Irvington street, then arose to suggest that the ordinance now in effect be enforced to relieve the problems that so many home owners are complaining about.

Misplaced Blame

Her husband also spoke briefly, relating how he had been blamed many times for harboring a nuisance dog, when in reality the source of the trouble came from elsewhere, such as a burning dump.

Mayor Anthony Gaggero told the group that no ordinance limiting dog ownership was being considered but suggested that the group appoint a committee to work with the council. (The dog owners learned that such an ordinance was being discussed through the columns of THE RECORD, where the information was received on a very reliable source.)

War Bride Speaks

Jessica Collier, a war bride from England who now resides at 1515 31st avenue, San Francisco, was then introduced to the council.

She told of her great love for dogs, and explained how the dog problem was handled in merry old England.

"Dogs don't know the value of a lawn. If dogs are causing trouble it should be brought to the owner's attention."

"In England dogs are protected by police just as a human being is." After a few parting words showing accord on both sides, the council adjourned, only to take up the discussion again with the canine owners, who were just getting warmed up.

In other action Monday, the council approved two resolutions, one approving state plans for the proposed Skyline freeway, the other expediting installation of

The Xmas Story

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oliday, are being held now by most of the PTAs and clubs, as well as Scout groups and service organizations.

Along the lines of charity, always appropriate to the Spirit of Christmas, the Toys for Tots drive is in full swing, with at least ten barrels of gifts being collected by the local fire department. The Daly City firemen are handling collection of the toys here for the Marine Reserves, sponsors of the drive.

The coming of Christmas also has a profound effect on law enforcement officials. The need for ready cash, coupled with the cut-down in industrial employment, has made for a considerable increase in burglaries and petty theft, according to Police Chief Roland Petrochich.

Police are also busy issuing words of warning to local motorists who might over-indulge in holiday cheer and run afoul of the vehicle code. Local traffic offi-

cers Henry Suendermann reports this the worst time of the year for driving, with visibility low, roads wet, and motorists equally liquid.

The hustle and bustle of Christmas is felt nowhere more keenly than at the local post office, where the regular staff of 38 will be supplemented by a crew of 50 to handle the heavy mailing volume.

Postmaster John F. Fixa said postal operations in San Francisco, which includes Daly City and Colma branches, the expected holiday volume will exceed the all-time high of 30,000,000 cancella-

tions, recorded last year. He pointed out that on Tuesday of this week, alone, there were 100,000 more cancellations at the Rincon Annex than last year.

On the local scene, stamp sales at the Daly City branch for the period December 1 to 9, totalled over 7300, an increase of 1075 over the same period last year.

Help keep our roadsides clean by carrying a paper bag in your car. Put refuse and trash in it and when it is full deposit in roadside containers, or take it home to your own trash can.

Errant Driver Given Suspended Sentence

Richard Allen Dale, 3230 San Jose avenue, who was picked up by Daly City police recently for driving with a revoked operator's license, was given a 30-day suspended sentence, after pleading guilty to the charge yesterday (Thursday) in municipal court.

Judge Thomas L. Bocci suspended the sentence on condition Dale pay a fine of \$250 within 10 days.

Celebration For Pioneer Couple

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as Arlington, Va., Los Angeles and Sacramento.

The Jensens came to California in 1902. Mr. Jensen is a charter member and second Worthy Patron of Crocker Chapter of Eastern Star. For 15 years Mrs. Jensen was clerk of the board of trustees of San Mateo Junior college and trustee for 31 years. In 1944 Mrs. Jensen was commissioner of Girl Scouts of Daly City and federation president of north San Mateo. They are both past Grand and Associate Grand Guardian of California and past Supreme and Associate Supreme of the United States of the Order of Job's Daughters.

Among the many prominent guests on hand were Mr. and Mrs. Louis Carl of Arlington, Va.; Mrs. Harriet Hoover of Los Angeles; Mr. and Mrs. Owen of Los Angeles; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Turner of San Leandro; Mr. and Mrs. Simons Jr. of Burlingame, Stanford Hannah of Daly City; Mr. Olmsted of Sacramento, and past queen and charter members of Bethel No. 26.

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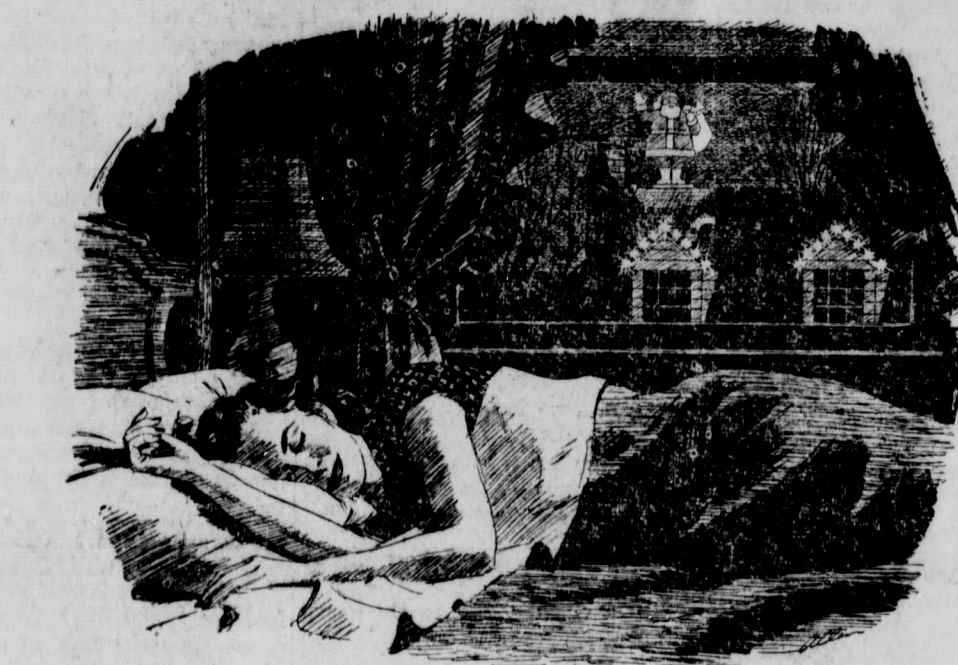
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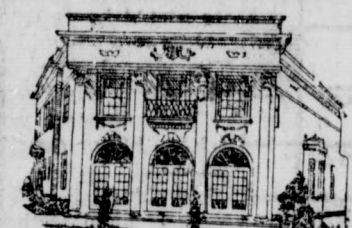
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A THOUGHT FOR MISSION MERCHANTS

It appears a "gentlemen's agreement" has been breached in the case of Christmas decorations for Daly City's Mission street area.

Approximately four years ago, the merchants complained of the lack of Christmas trimmings in that area and suggested that the city do something about it.

As we are given to understand, a verbal agreement was reached whereby the city would pay for and install Christmas lighting while the merchants would finance supplementary decorations. It sounded like a good combination.

However, since that time the city has continued to spend on the average of \$1000 a year for the lights, while the merchants have failed to kick through with any appreciable efforts toward brightening up the area with decorations.

This is a sad state of affairs. While other areas are replete with fine Christmas splendor, the Mission street area remains drab.

What makes it hard to understand is that the merchants are the ones who would profit by the decorations, yet they continue to let themselves be outdone, losing more and more customers who find themselves attracted to areas that are wiser in the ways of publicity and promotion.

The Mission street merchants would do well to give this matter some thought.

SOMETHING TO HOWL ABOUT

While dogs took the limelight at Monday night's city council meeting, there was a large gathering of humans present in the august chambers and their appearance was something, we believe, to howl about.

Faced with the knowledge that an ordinance limiting them to two dogs was being considered, the dog devotees rose up on all two and let themselves be heard.

Result of the meeting was that Mayor Anthony Gaggero graciously suggested that the Dog Owners Group form a committee to work hand in hand with the council on the Daly City canine problem.

This, we believe, is one of the best examples of civic harmony to come along in quite a spell.

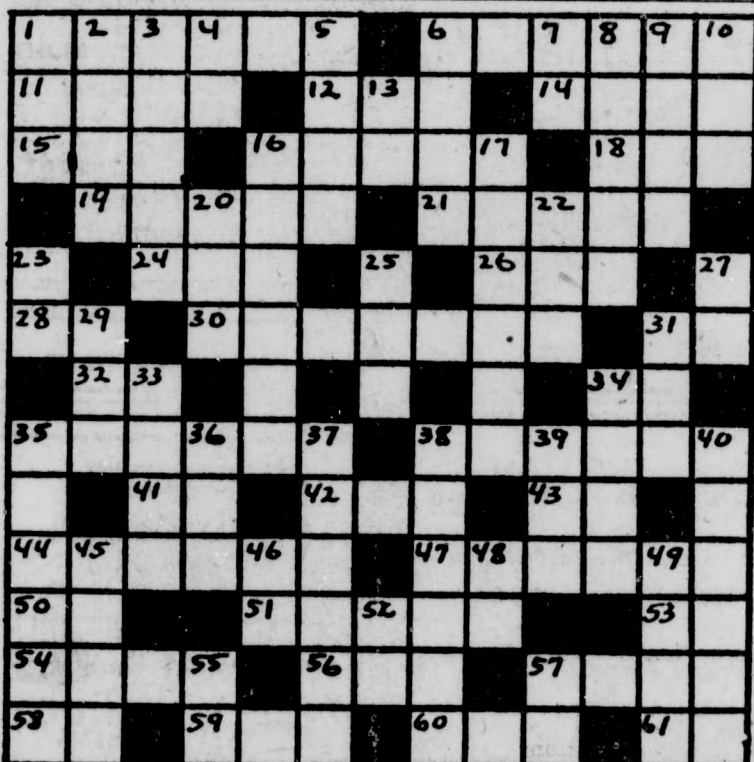
Citizens should take notice of the dog owners, who, when faced with legislation of interest to them, got up and made a little noise about it.

What could have later resulted in much hard feeling and insults cast the way of the council, turned out to be a meeting of minds, with both parties leaving the meeting in a better frame of mind than when they entered.

Such is the process of good government—an active interest on the part of citizens and a sincere willingness to cooperate on the part of the city's leaders.

We applaud both the dog owners and the city council for their respective performances Monday night.

CROSSWORD ♦ ♦ ♦ By A. C. Gordon



Globe Trotting

- ACROSS
- 1—Famous artificial waterway
 - 6—Large European river (poss.)
 - 11—On an ocean voyage
 - 12—South American city
 - 14—Island of the East Indies
 - 15—To fit up a ship
 - 16—Articles
 - 18—Debris (abbrev.)
 - 19—Native of an Asiatic country
 - 21—Weird
 - 24—Undefined metal
 - 26—Noun suffix equivalent to "er"
 - 28—Preposition
 - 30—Italian violin city
 - 31—Masculine title
 - 32—Latin abbreviation denoting "that is"
 - 34—One of the world's continents (abbrev.)
 - 35—Waterway south of Asia
 - 38—Expanse of land surrounded by water
 - 41—Measure of area
 - 42—Furnish with weapons
 - 43—Indefinite article
 - 44—Enitlers
- DOWN
- 1—Equality
 - 2—A continent
 - 3—South American river
 - 4—Automobile Association (abbrev.)
 - 5—Skills
 - 6—Italian city
 - 7—Internal Belgium (abbrev.)
 - 8—The lowest point rounded by water
 - 9—German river
 - 10—Feminine relative (colloq.)
 - 13—Abbreviated Latin "that is"
 - 16—Ancient name of the Spanish peninsula
 - 17—French river (poss.)
 - 20—Circle portion
 - 22—Girl's name
 - 23—Northern continent (abbrev.)
 - 25—Mischievous child
 - 27—Ancient Chaldean city
 - 29—Mexico produces most of this metal
 - 31—Island in the Irish Sea
 - 32—City famous for a kind of cheese
 - 34—Destitute of
 - 35—Sea between Greece and Italy
 - 36—Anger
 - 37—Resort city in the Bahamas Islands
 - 38—To pierce with a sharp stick
 - 39—Left side of a ship
 - 40—To lose life
 - 45—English river
 - 46—Small U.S. state (abbrev.)
 - 48—Printer's measure
 - 49—Electrified particles
 - 52—Chinese unit of measure
 - 53—Aerial train
 - 57—Perform

Safety News From Your Local Police

"Don't let death take your holiday."

What's so hazardous about Christmas holidays? For one thing, the fact that they are holidays, that people are in a mood to be carefree rather than careful. In every phase of American life, it seems, Christmas increases the pace, adds rush and confusion to everyday work and play. Christmas means more; more gifts, more shopping, more mail, more parties, more telephoning, more motor vehicle traffic and more pedestrians on the streets and highways. The added hustle and bustle of December makes it more important than ever that we take time for safety.

For there is also the more and less of weather at holiday time. More rain, hail, and sleet, with less daylight to ease the difficulties of driving in inclement weather. And added to these there is the greatly increased amount of social drinking done at holiday time.

Inevitably, some people in a hurry will be careless and may hurt themselves or others by taking chances in traffic. It is up to all of us to watch out for all of these thoughtless ones, to protect ourselves and to protect them from themselves. For after all, completed preparations for a perfect Christmas are of little value to the family which spends the day visiting one of its members in the hospital where his enthusiastic but careless holiday habits have landed him.

Accident Report

(Nov. 29-Dec. 6)

Total: Five accidents.

Breakdown: Four property; one injury.

My Mad World

By Leonore Brewer

Were you disappointed last Friday? I was. Friday is never too good a day anyway, but when we get home the sight of THE RECORD, more specifically our column, sort of brightens things up a bit. Last Friday the pall of doom customarily surrounding us at the end of the week thickened considerably when we couldn't find the column. To put it simply, our day was ruined. Tears have been shed over the tragedy of "the face on the cutting room floor," but no one has ever stopped to sigh for the columnist whose latest masterpiece has been crowded out by a blub for orange stamps. The final blow—we save green stamps. However, this blow is cushioned by the thought that in a life full of hectic weekends composed of too few hours, that reserve column is going to come in mighty handy.

Have you been listening to KEAR lately? Good, that means that you know that Jerry Jones down there is planning a Collector's Corner program and is looking for a volunteer. Knowing me as you do you can well imagine that he didn't have too look far; all he had to do was get out of the way.

With a few Verdi operas under one arm and a sheaf of notes clutched in what we must admit was a slightly clammy hand, we hastened to KEAR. We would dearly love to give you all the gory details of making a tape recording, but at the time of writing this column it is past 11:00 at night. Our eyes are half shut, and our chin is resting on the typewriter. We have the strength to answer only two questions. When is the program? Some Sunday in December. We shall try to be more specific when we know ourselves. How do we sound? Well, to hear yourself as others hear you is a definitely traumatic experience. However, as the playback progressed, the initial shock wore off, and I became accustomed to hearing me, and I thought of a nice obscure remark to leave with you as a final thought. I do not look the way I sound.

TRAFFIC RECORD

San Francisco had the lowest traffic death record during the past ten months of cities of 750,000 to 1,000,000 population, the National Safety Council reported this week.

Based on the number of deaths per 10,000 registered motor vehicles, San Francisco's figure was 2.6; St. Louis, 3.1 and Washington, D.C., 3.2.

The Dog Owners' Group represents a different type of dog owner. We compete in shows and obedience trials all over the country. It is a keen competitive sport for young and old alike. Our dogs are registered with the American Kennel Club. First the litter is registered, then as each individual pup goes to his new home he is registered in his new owner's name. We have breed clubs run under American Kennel Club regulations. Junior Clubs and Junior Handling classes at all shows to thoroughly train the young dog fanciers from the bottom up... these are our future judges.

Our dogs receive special care. No running the streets, no chance to be stolen. We do not take risks. First we are in the game because we love dogs... Secondly be-

FIREMEN HELP MAKE CHRISTMAS BRIGHTER FOR TOTS



HELPING COLLECT toys for tots, a program to insure a happy Christmas for less fortunate children, will be these members

of the Daly City fire department. Shown here (left to right) are: Captain Mel Hanson, holding Glenn Lynch; Fireman Ward

Albee, Driver George DeBono, Fireman Wayne Alexander, Fireman Allen Brush and M/Sgt. Ernest F. Love.

Letters To The Editor

Dog Owners Give Views On Rumored Law Limited DC Families To Two Animals

Gentlemen:

I read with interest the article by Miss Betty Brush entitled "Your Neighbor and Mine" which appeared in your paper December 3d.

It is all very true. I wholeheartedly agree with the lady. My front lawn and shrubs, planted at a cost of callous hands and hard cash repeatedly suffer the same fate and I should like to take this opportunity to thank Miss Brush, who through your paper has brought, at such a critical time this straying dog menace, so clearly before the public eye, and to try and enlist her sympathies also that of the Daly City Record, on behalf, not only of myself but that of a worthy group of citizens known as the Dog Owners' Group, in the forth coming issue to be debated by the Daly City Council re: "Two dogs only to each household."

We dog fanciers appreciate the fine work done by the local pounds and humane societies and support them.

We may breed one litter a year or two. Not the well-known "back yard breeder" this type, you have a pedigreed dog mine is the same kind like bred them. No, ours are scientifically bred. Blood lines are checked until we have on paper the type of dog we try to produce in the flesh, always to try to improve structure and temperament.

I am sure I can safely say all in the Dog Owner's Group would be more than willing to have the health inspector check their homelives for health hazards at any time. Now our sport takes another turn. Revenue and Employment. This is something few people people think about in connection with dogs. I mentioned we pay license fees to the City. We pay to the American Kennel Club a big organization in New York which employs many people. We hire the City Hall for our dog shows. I need not dwell on the fame of the Golden Gate show, usual entry about four thousand dogs, entry fee \$5.50 per dog catalogues \$1.00. Dogs from all over the United States and Europe, the owners just ordinary dog lovers like us. Hotels, motels, parking lots from Daly City to the peninsula all benefit. Restaurants outside and employed caterers in the show do big business. Jewelers sell us valuable trophies and ribbons. We employ judges and janitors. We buy dog food from local firms, horse meat kibble and meal. From our drug stores: cod liver oil and necessary vitamins. We employ the veterinary and their assistants to keep our dogs healthy, and all over the country we contribute towards employing millions of people in manufacturing dog accessories, leashes, collars, coats, brushes, nail clippers and electric shears.

We patronize most of the well-known manufacturers of dog foods, such as Dr. Ross, Chappels, Ken-L-Ration and Spratts. There are many magazines on dogs published on dogs for sport, pleasure and profit. Breeding, training, obedience of stage tricks. Most local papers print a column on the care of the dog and also advertise at our request, puppies for sale. The dog business is one of the largest in the United States. Last but not least we give happiness to hundreds of people who patronize our shows, people who love dogs.

Does all this revenue have to be lost? And all the happiness we give? Does this great clean competitive sport have to be curtailed because of a few people who will not shoulder the responsibilities they undertake? You may not believe in selective dog breeding, but remember one male

dog running the streets can foster more puppies in a day than we dog fanciers can breed in a year.

A number of the dogs that were used in the Canine Corps by the United States Army were homebred dogs with reliable temperaments. They were made fierce in training but responded to obedience and were controllable because of the brains that had been developed through selective breeding.

I remember reading where, during World War Two our boys fighting in the jungles were being murdered in cold blood by the enemy. Sentries overpowered, whole outfits surrounded, surprised. What to do? A unit had to be brought in with a keener sense for detecting the enemy, one who could get the odor of the enemy on the wind. Yes, the canine corps. Willingly they went to work, no more American boys murdered without a chance to lift a rifle, to defend themselves. Then the boys who came back alive, but in dark world, who makes them see again? The guide dog for the blind.

There is much we humans owe to the dog and will continue to owe even in these civilized days. There is a lot to be said detrimentally about the dog, but it should be said to its owner. A dog like a child reflects its home. A child from a good home, running the streets will pick up bad habits, a dog likewise becomes an outlaw. I could go on and on about the merits of a well-bred and educated dog and the pride of owning one but I shall conclude by saying I know a dog does not have to be pedigreed for him to be worthy of love. People who really love their pets take care of them and although you will find a few pedigreed dogs running the streets people usually take care of anything on which they have spent their hard earned dollars.

I hope that you will see fit to give the Dog Owner's Group your support. We plead not only for our own sport and our valuable dogs but for the suffering that is the lot of the animal on the street. We wish to be fair to all dog owners but penalizing us is not going to lessen the damage done by roaming dogs which if any are the ones that constitute a public nuisance and I quote state law No. 370 Penal Code. Nuisance: "Anything that is injurious to the health, or is indecent, or offensive to the senses, or to interfere with the comparable enjoyment of life or property..." by a considerable number of persons, is a public nuisance. To debate a nuisance is the duty of the district Attorney or health officer."

Respectfully,
Roy Wingo, President
Dog Owners' Group of
Daly City

LESS FORTUNATE KIDS GUARANTEED HAPPIER CHRISTMAS THIS YEAR

A happier Christmas for less fortunate children in the Peninsula area was guaranteed today by members of the Peninsula's Marine Corps Reserve units.

The Marine Reservists announced plans for their annual "Toys for Tots" drive, in which toys will be collected for distribution to children who might otherwise be disappointed Christmas morning. This is the second year the Peninsula Marine Reserve units, the 7th Infantry Battalion and 1st Tank Company has collected toys for the children. "Toys for Tots" is a nationwide campaign of the Marine Corps Reserve; it was started on the West Coast in 1948.

Major J. L. Watts of 1928 Oak-noll drive, Belmont, directing the campaign for the two Reserve Units, said toy collection stations would be set up at: Jefferson Union High school; Town and Country Food Center, 395 South Mayfair drive; King's Market, 2350 Junipero Serra boulevard; and the fire station at 499 Santa Barbara avenue.

"Barrels will be provided to receive the gift donations, he said, and 'Toys for Tots' posters will identify the locations." Residents of Daly City area can help make this a happy Christmas for less

fortunate children by giving new toys, or used toys which still are in good condition. Toys may be donated wrapped or unwrapped. However, if donors wish to wrap their gifts, it would be appreciated if they would note, on the outside, the ages at which the toys would be most enjoyed, and whether they are for boys or girls."

He added that persons wishing to give an abundance of toys, or toys too large to conveniently carry downtown, may have their toys picked up by calling JUno 8-7548.

Marine Reservists will call for the toys at a time convenient to the donors.

The toys will be distributed to less fortunate children through the Community Chest Agencies of this area. Children of needy families in the immediate area will be presented toys by members of the Marine Reserves.

Major J. L. Watts said all work done by the spare-time Marines will be on their own time.

"This is a volunteer project, and our training activities will continue as usual," he said. "Those of us in the Peninsula Marine Reserves are glad to join our fellow-citizens in this community project."

In The Past

TEN YEARS AGO IN THE RECORD

Thursday, Dec. 9, 1943 — On Pearl Harbor Day, December 7, at 8:30 p.m. in the civic auditorium of San Francisco, the San Francisco Municipal chorus, under the direction of Dr. Hans Leschke, will sing Brahms' "Requiem Mass."

The following students from Jefferson Union High school are members of the chorus: Lillian Altman, Kenneth Bradshaw, Kenneth Hatt, Virginia Nestor, Robert Olson, Phoebe Remington and Vivian Thorsen.

The following graduates are also members: Lowell Coy, Betty Jeanne Olinger and Fred Waterman.

Thomas Loomis, Daly City man now with the Merchant Marine, recently wrote his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Loomis, 3312 San Jose avenue, from somewhere in Australia, telling of his experiences since he joined up two months ago.

Billy Evans, son of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Evans, 162 Irvington street, was feted at a birthday party Saturday at his home. He was observing his tenth birthday.

Those present included: Joe Moore, Beverly Bruch, Richard Hennig, Carley Carle, James O'Connell, Pamela Harvey, Robert Peter, Frances Rust, Carl Yarosz, Miss Joan Yarosz, Gary Chamberlain, Carolyn Moore, Billy and Dickie Evans.

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO IN THE RECORD

Friday, Dec. 9, 1938 — Fire Chief Chesney called a fire drill at just exactly the right time Tuesday evening. During routine drill and instruction a fire alarm was pulled at Hillcrest drive and Santa Barbara avenue.

Firemen were on their way even before exact location of the blaze had been determined. From the alarm box they spotted the fire at 20 Vendome avenue, home of Mrs. E. Hosner.

Three Jefferson Union High school athletes were named on the all-PAL football team. They were: Bill Smith, tackle; Kevin

Epidendio, center; and Tony Compagno, fullback.

Bob McCune, end, and Buster Eldrup, guard, were named on the second team. Harry Ayers, guard, and Jack Parker, a back, received honorable mention.

What would have been a speeding charge mounted rapidly Sunday when Fred C. Plageman, San Francisco motorist, assertedly refused to heed a Daly City officer's siren and sped onward, later allegedly attempting to prevent the officer from overtaking him by swerving his car into the officer's path.

The officer, Motorcycle Patrolman Rocco Benedetti, was knocked from his motorcycle as the side of the car hit his leg. He remounted, however, caught Plageman after a two-mile chase into San Francisco and finally, aided by San Francisco police, jailed the rebellious motorist. He was charged with reckless driving and resisting arrest.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO IN THE RECORD

Friday, Dec. 14, 1928 — Miss Margaret Hass, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hass, 801 Brunswick street, and Charles Winfield McKee, son of Mrs. and Mrs. Charles D. McKee, of 79 Irvington street, a popular young couple of Daly City, were quietly married Saturday afternoon in Santa Cruz. Miss Evelyn McKee, sister of the groom, and Philip Hass, brother of the bride, attended them.

Both the bride and groom are well known in Daly City. The bride until her marriage was a student at Jefferson Union High school and their popular well leader. The groom, who has lived here since he was four months old, is a graduate of Crocker school and officer in Crocker chapter, Order of De Molay.

Mrs. Hazel Lagomarsino, of Briggs street, spent the weekend holidays at Sacramento, visiting relatives. Mrs. Lagomarsino and daughters Marie and Eva joined the happy party during the latter part of the week.

SHERIFF WHITMORE TO "RIDE HERD" FOR STRAY UNITED CRUSADE DOLLARS

Sheriff Earl Whitmore today is organizing a county-wide "posse" to round up stray dollars and maverick donors claimed by the United Crusade.

Whitmore has sworn-in 22 "ranch foremen"—alias city campaign chairmen and ordered them to "gather all their hands and ride the Crusade range so that we can put the Torch brand on all the strays 'at the Round-up Dinner' scheduled for 6:30 p.m., Wednesday, December 9th, at the Peninsula YMCA in San Mateo.

The sheriff was pressed into service by Campaign Co-Chairmen Harry A. Mitchell and T. Louis Chess, who announced that an audited report this week shows that a total of \$358,552 has been contributed or 53.7% of the Crusade goal.

Bayshore, they revealed, is the first community in the county to "go over the top" with \$6,765 or 104.5%.

A MATTER OF VALVES

That bucking effect that occurs when picking up speed from, say, twelve or fifteen miles an hour in high gear, very rarely has anything to do with the condition of the clutch or drive mechanism, points out the National Automobile Club. Nearly always it is a sign that the engine needs to be tuned up, from valves to ignition.

YIELDING RIGHT OF WAY

The first vehicle entering an intersection has the right of way, says the California State Automobile Association. The vehicle on the left yields right of way if two or more vehicles enter intersection simultaneously. Drivers must yield right of way to pedestrians in marked or unmarked crosswalks.

Village Notes

By Mrs. Edith Warmoth (PL 5-8026)

Let's have some more news about our neighbors:

SWEETWOOD

Mr. Larry Long had a birthday December 5 and celebrated it along with Mrs. Long on December 6 by going to Radies for dinner.

GARDEN LANE

Friends of Mrs. R. Bell are glad to hear that she is now home from the hospital and recovering quickly.

Dr. and Mrs. Mayo Bryce spent two days at Ukiah while the children remained home under the watchful care of grandma.

Because of a closed fireplace damper which caused a fire to smoulder, Mrs. Hawken had a visit from the Daly City and Colma fire departments on Monday which had the whole neighborhood out looking for a big fire.

LARCHMONT

It was a girl for Mr. and Mrs. Ira Boyd. The little lass arrived November 27. Haven't heard her name as yet.

WILDWOOD CT.

A going away luncheon was given in honor of Mrs. Harold McElhinny by Co-hostesses Mrs. Dolores Shields and Mrs. Lois Courtney Thursday, December 3. Mrs. McElhinny and family are moving to Los Angeles. The following of her B.Y. friends were present: Pearl Harris, Freda Sherman, Cecile Greninger, Helen Mahoney, Shelia Mahoney and Betty Hart.

MADDUX

Marsha Hart was seven years old December 7. A birthday dinner was given in honor of the occasion. The following were on hand to help her celebrate: Susan Sander, Dene Hopkins, Cathy Leech, Kathy Proctor, Pamela Wise, Irene Arejula, Mary Jean Park, Kitty Lagoria, Susan Sherman, Johnny Sander and Melinda Hart.

WILDWOOD

Happy birthdays were extended to Kitty Lagoria who had a birthday December 1 and celebrated it on Sunday, December 6. At her party were the following: Barbara Greninger, Lynn Loomis, Dukie and Alex Stuckey, Marsha Hart, Cathy Leech, Irene Arejula, Mary Jean Park and Susan Sherman.

LOUVAINE DR.

Mrs. Janet Rizzo spent last weekend visiting with friends in Lakeport.

BRADLEY DR.

Mrs. Peg Elliott and Lee, Jay and Clark have returned after spending Thanksgiving in Los Angeles.

HERE AND THERE

Several of our Broadmoor gals have been taking swimming lessons these past weeks and last week their husbands took them all out to dinner. This was on December 5 and the following went along: The John Bodmers, Bill and Reba Nye, Stan and Judy Wilson, Del and Maureen Guyman, Frank and Fran Dethlefsen, Trevor and Ruth Jones, Grant and Helen Holman and Vic and Mabs Guz.

CHURCH

The Women's Association of the Broadmoor Community church held their monthly meeting Monday evening, December 7. After the regular business was discussed the installation of officers for the next year was held with Mrs. Jessie Glasse officiating. The following were installed: Mrs. Rex Spruiell, president, Mrs. LeRoy Krueger, 1st vice president, Mrs. Henry Suenderman, 2nd vice president, Mrs. Robert Mattson, 3rd vice president, Mrs. Carlos Mattson, secretary, and Mrs. James Fairbanks, treasurer.

Following the installation ceremony a play was presented entitled "A Robe for the Duchess." To complete the evening there was an exchange of Christmas gifts, among those present and refreshments were served.

That closes it for this time. See you next week.

CORONELLI MAP

The Coronelli Map of the year 1680, reports the National Automobile Club, was the first map to show that the Rio Grande emptied into the Gulf of Mexico and not into the Gulf of California.

Exports through the San Francisco Customs District in 1952 to Cuba were valued at \$11,267,533.

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Seagraves Presents Electrifying Picture Of Narcotics Evil

Roy W. Seagraves, prominent Peninsula attorney and announced candidate for the office of district attorney in the 1954 elections, presented an electrifying picture of the narcotics menace as it exists today when he appeared last night as guest speaker before a meeting of the Half Moon Bay Lions club.

Quoting figures from current police department records showing the alarming increase in the narcotics traffic and in the tragic use of narcotics, Seagraves pointed out that while education in every phase of science and progress has been of prime significance, education has been sadly lacking where it can figure so drastically in wiping out this major source of crime, violence and degradation to today and tomorrow's crop of men and women.

"A full and frank study of the manufacture, traffic in and the use and effect of narcotics, as a part of our educational system at a high school level, can be the most effective weapon possible against the illicit use of narcotics," Seagraves declared.

Attorney Seagraves, displaying a thorough knowledge of his subject, described dramatically the uses of the better known narcotics, marijuana and heroin, and the tragic methods through which youngsters are hopelessly "hooked."

"Curiosity contributes more to that first trial of a drug than does the thrill-seeking motive, though the two together generally bring about the first fatal step—a first 'stick' of marijuana—leading to certain disaster regardless of environment or background," Seagraves emphasized.

"Satisfying that natural curiosity through comprehensive study in the classroom at school can prove far more effective than a vigorous and vital law enforcement policy working alone," he continued. "Law and policing can tackle the availability of narcotics, but by reaching the potential users through education, only then can the potential market be dried up."

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By Mel Hanson
Fire Prevention Bureau

Christmas is the time to be extra careful. Every year, from now to the week following New Years, a plague of fires ranges up and down the country. Many of these fires result from the extra hazards which exist only during the holiday season and from carelessness that would not be tolerated at any other time.

Little careless acts—that seem so unimportant at the time—cause these holiday tragedies. A father lights a match with his finger nail; the burning head flies into the Christmas tree and a mother and three children die in a fire that destroys their home. A neglected toy electric train ignites a Christmas tree in a hotel and four people are burned to death.

These tragedies are all so needless if you will take a few minutes to read and follow the simple fire safety rules in this article.

1. "THE TREE"—Cut a growing tree or try to buy one that hasn't dried out from prolonged storage. (When too dry, tree branches are brittle and shed needles easily.)

2. "THE LIGHTING"—Do not use candles on the tree or nearby where there is any chance for an open flame to contact the tree or combustibles piled beneath the tree. Use only electric lighting sets that bear the U.L. (Underwriters Laboratories) label.

3. "THE DECORATIONS AND WRAPPINGS"—Don't let Christmas wrappings accumulate in the home; place them in your metal covered trash barrel or burn them in your incinerator as soon as possible. Use only flameproof decorations.

4. "THE GIFTS"—Don't buy pyroxylin plastic dolls, toys or non-flameproofed cowboy suits, etc. Toys operated by alcohol, kerosene or gasoline are especially dangerous; they may upset and set fire to children's clothing, the tree, or the house itself.

5. "DON'T FORGET"—Don't allow smoking near the tree amidst decorations or piles of wrappings; have plenty of safe ashtrays around and use them. Plan on what you must do if fire does break out. Know the location of your fire alarm box. Call the fire department without delay.

The fire prevention bureau says: "Enjoy a fire-safe Christmas."

Plans Completed For Marian Year Pilgrimage To Shrines In Europe

To celebrate the Marian Year, the 100th anniversary of the proclamation of the Dogma of the Immaculate Conception, the Italian Catholic Federation, through its San Francisco District Council, will leave San Francisco April 24th to board the S. S. Saturnia at New York, April 27th for a pilgrimage to visit the shrines of the Blessed Virgin Mary at Fatima, Lourdes, Rome and Pompeii and culminate the pilgrimage with a Papal Audience.

During the trip to Europe, the tourist will also visit Lisbon, Portugal; Madrid, Spain, southern Switzerland; the French and Italian Rivas and such places

in Italy as Genoa, Turin, Milan, Lake Maggiore, Como and di Garda, Bolzano, the Dolomites, Cortina di Empeso, Venice, Padua, Bologna, Florence, Perugia, Assisi, the Monastery of Montecassino, Naples, Sorrento, Amalfi and Capri, before returning on the new luxury Italian liner Andrea Doria.

James A. Minenna, president of the Italian Catholic Federation, Branch 50, through Mins Travel Service, 760 Market street, is attending to reservations, while Mario Cugio, president of the San Francisco District Council and publisher of the North Beach weekly paper, "Little City News," will act as conductor.

Special Yuletide Services For Broadmoor Presbyterian Are Announced By Minister

Special Christmas services and activities for the Broadmoor Community Presbyterian church were announced this week by the Rev. John A. Glasse, minister.

Sunday, December 20, the following activities are scheduled: 9:45 a.m.—appropriate sermon, special music by Adult and Chapel choirs; 6 p.m.—the Christmas presentation for all the family by the young people, followed by refreshments and a brief social fellowship.

Sunday school Christmas parties are arranged as follows: December 21—from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m., nursery department; December 21—from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m., kindergarten; December 22—3 to 4:30 p.m., primary; December 22—evening, junior; December 13—5:30 to 7:30 p.m., intermediate.

The churches adult choir will be among seven singing tonight (Friday) at Stonestown in the business district. Singing will be from 7 to 9 p.m.

The Rev. Glasse announced that for this Sunday's sermon the story of familiar Christmas Carols will be told, followed by singing of the Carols.

Monthly Whist Slated For Corpus Christi

Corpus Christi church will hold its monthly Whist Party on Sunday, December 13, at 7:30 p.m. in the Church Hall, corner of Santa Rosa avenue and Alemany boulevard.

The Block "L" committee have many attractive prizes to offer. The committee working are Mesdames A. Delfino, R. Eschenhorst, C. Cotter, R. Vaughn, M. Tognetti and Miss L. Gubetta.

McConnell To Give Pre-Xmas Sermon

Minister Howard Pat McConnell will deliver a pre-Christmas sermon entitled "Prelude to Christmas" Sunday morning at 10:55 o'clock at the Vista Grande Avenue Christian church.

Sunday school will be at 9:30 o'clock with classes for all ages including a well equipped nursery. The Christian Youth Fellowship meets on Monday evenings in Fire-side Hall and the Chi-Rho group on Friday evenings.

SCHEDULE OF MASSES IN LOCAL CATHOLIC CHURCHES SUNDAY

Our Lady of Perpetual Help church, 60 Wellington avenue, Daly City, (PLaza 5-2377). — Sunday Masses are scheduled at 6:30, 8, 9, 10:30 a.m. and 12:15. Devotions are held on Tuesday nights at 8 o'clock.

Holy Angels church, 107 San Pedro Road, Colma, (PLaza 5-0478). — Sunday Masses are scheduled at 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 a.m. and 12:15. Perpetual Novena is held every Tuesday night at 7:30.

SF Rabbi Guest Speaker Tonight For Temple Group

Rabbi Meyer Heller of Temple Emanuel-El, San Francisco, will be the guest speaker at the Westlake Temple Group's Friday evening service today, to be held at Congregation B'Nai Israel, Santa Barbara and Los Banos avenues. A social hour will follow the services, and all are most cordially invited to attend.

Westlake Temple Group's first Bar Mitzva will be held Friday, December 18, when Robert Berkowitz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Berkowitz of Sharp Park, will be Bar Mitzva. The Bar Mitzva class now consists of twelve students, many to be Bar Mitzva in the near future.

A class mother program has now been organized by the Sisterhood with Mrs. Morris Malling as Class Mother Chairman. Parents who have children enrolled in Sunday school, and who would like to participate in the class mother program, are urged to contact Mrs. Malling at LO. 6-3001.

Bible study is on Thursday evenings. Dr. McConnell will lead the class in a study of the Book of Revelation.

Grace Church Choir Will Sing Special Christmas Anthems At Sunday Service

Activities at the Grace Presbyterian church this Sunday include Sunday school, commencing at 9:45 a.m., and the regular morning worship service at 11 a.m.

In connection with the service, the Grace church choir will sing special Christmas anthems, directed by Miss Marian Walker. The sacrament of baptism for both infants and adults will be administered by the pastor, the Rev. William Harberts. There will be reception of members into the fellowship of the church.

The guest minister will be the Rev. Edward Stein, Ph.D., director of the Westminster House on the campus of the University of California at Berkeley.

At 7:30 p.m. the Women's Council of the church will hold the annual traditional candle-light installation service for the incoming officers. Mrs. Harberts will be in charge, assisted by Mrs. Walter Kesler and Mrs. H. S. Garrison. Phyllis Blackburn and Lorraine Bergstrom will be the candle lighters. Reports of the work for 1953 will be presented by the council and group officers.

Following the service a Silver Tea will be held in the Fellowship hall, under the direction of Martha Circle. The public is welcome to attend all the services of the day.

Universal Bible Sunday Is Week's Lutheran Topic

At Bethel Lutheran church, Alemany and Huron avenue, Universal Bible Sunday will be observed in the morning worship at 10:45 o'clock. The Rev. Herbert P. Schroeder will preach on the subject: "The Bible—God Speaks To Man." The Junior choir, composed of children of the Sunday school and directed by Miss Gladys Schultz, will sing in this service.

The Walther League, the young people's group of the congregation, will meet Friday evening. The society is sponsoring the sale of Christmas seals for the Wheat Ridge Sanitarium at Wheat Ridge, Colo. This hospital is maintained by the Lutheran church for tubercular patients. Miss Betty Drolinger is the chairman of the committee. A Christmas social will follow the business meeting. The members of the senior confirmation class will be the guests for the occasion.

Assemblyman Creedon To Be Guest Speaker At Next Chamber Meeting

Daniel Creedon, state assemblyman from San Mateo county's 25th district, will be guest speaker at next Thursday's regular Chamber of Commerce luncheon session at Lake Merced Golf and Country club.

Creedon will address the Chamber of Commerce on "Economy in state government."

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Some drivers, according to the National Automobile Club, are so good that they become overconfident and indulge in careless driving practices. Such motorists, points out the National Automobile Club, should remember that on our streets and highways, a little carelessness can kill.

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YOUR NEIGHBORS AND MINE

By Betty Brush

Hello Neighbors:

Two weeks of December have passed and it is exactly two weeks more until the big day of Christmas arrives for us all. Trees are in the windows and the Christmas shopping is partly done. Haven't received my first Christmas card yet but will really believe it is the Christmas season when I do. There are lots of comings and goings in "our town" so here goes with the news for another week.

A happy birthday is wished from all the neighbors to MISS NELLIE GARGAN of Goethe street. Nellie is an old time resident of our town, having once resided in a house on Theta avenue before it became the old site of The Record building. Greetings from all and many more happy birthdays, NELL.

Up and around and being welcomed by all her family and friends is MRS. MAUD ALVISO of Crocker avenue. That old flu bug really did get her down but we all know that it will take more than just the flu to keep her down.

Off To Santa Cruz

MRS. DOROTHY STEWART of Vista Grande avenue spent one of the nicest Thanksgiving weekends of all of us. She packed her duffel bag and took off to Santa Cruz to spend a few days with her son, WILLIAM BERNZOTT, his wife, FERN, and their two children, LINDA and GARY. What made it so nice is that it was the first time that grandma DOROTHY had seen her grandson. From all reports he is beautiful and she has just reason to be proud of such a fine family. Bill will be remembered by many as he grew up in Daly City and went to all the appropriate schools.

MR. and MRS. HOWARD HEFFRON (formerly B. v. Heagney) have returned from their honeymoon which they spent in Lake county. They are now at home to all their many friends and will be glad to show just how domestic they can be.

Beautiful Wedding

A most beautiful wedding took place in our town last week when MISS ELIZABETH RIVAS became the bride of MR. CARLOS SANCHEZ at a 5 p.m. ceremony performed by REV. ALLEN at Our Lady of Perpetual Help church. Best man duties were performed by MR. AL SANCHEZ, brother of the groom. Matron of honor was MRS. VIRGINIA RIVAS. Bridesmaids were the sisters of the bride—MRS. JOSEPHINE CABANO, ANNIE RIVAS and ELSIE FRANGELLA. The ushers were MESSRS. FRANK RIVAS, RAY CABANO, JACK EUSTICE and WILLIAM GOMEZ. The ring-bearer was Master GARY CABANO and the darling little flower girl was MISS CARMELITA COMULADA.

Following the beautiful wedding there was a dinner at the Normandie for the family and close friends and then a reception was held at the Guadalupe Hall for over 500 friends of both families. Open house was held for the family and many friends of both the bride and groom after the reception at the home of MR. F. J. RIVAS of Vista Grande avenue.

The honeymoon was destination unknown.

The bridesmaids were attired in pastel colors. The bride's mother wore a dress of powder blue lace with sequins and black accessories

while MRS. EUSTICE, mother of the groom, was attired in a black faille dress with appropriate accessories. The groom is employed by the American Can Co. in San Francisco, and the bride works for the Bank of America.

Congratulations to the new Sanchez family from all the folks.

Plans for Next Dance

O.L.P.H. MEN'S CLUB INC. held their monthly meeting on Wednesday of last week in the school auditorium. Plans were made for their next dance which will be held December 19 in the school hall. All those who attended the last dance know how much fun it was and are looking forward to this one. Let's all plan on going to the dance. See you there.

Congratulations are in order to MR. and MRS. NEAL ROSENS. They have added another boy, KENNETH NEAL, to their family. They already have two boys to welcome baby brother home and also an AUNT HILDA HEAGNEY who is also very proud of the new arrival.

MR. JOHN FORD, an old time resident of our town, passed away last week. He was the brother of the late James Ford and Margaret Ellen Sturtevant. He was a member of the moving picture operators union. The funeral services were conducted by Lasswell and Co., with interment in the National cemetery. The sympathies of all the neighbors are extended to his family at this time.

Birthday Party

Little Miss DEBBIE HAGLER (who is the sister of LAURIE HAGLER who had a birthday last week) celebrated her second birthday this week. As usual there was cake and ice cream for the youngsters, and then the "mamas" had their coffee and gab.

Seems that the HAGLER family goes for December birthdays, as their mother, MRS. MARIE HAGLER, had a birthday in the same week. Happy birthday to all the Haglers from all the neighbors.

Servicemen

As one and all who read this column know, the servicemen have a special place not only in the column but in my heart as well. I have known all of the boys for many years, some from the day of their birth. Christmas is approaching very rapidly and there is one of the neighbors who is so good to them that I wish I could reveal her name, but like all good people who do good things she would rather remain unknown except to the boys who don't even know her. Nevertheless, here is an orchid to her. She will know it is meant for her as she is the one who has repeatedly called up and asked for addresses of boys far away from home. This being the time of year for giving, send some serviceman a gift or card—even someone you don't know. They are men, of course, or they wouldn't be where they are, but at Christmas time they are little boys a long way from home. How about it neighbors?

THOMAS MCCARTHY, a member of the class of '50 of Riordan High school and known to many, is among the latest to leave for Fort Ord for basic training with the U. S. Army. Tom, who is not only married but anticipating as well, will be missed by all his many friends for awhile.

Seems nowadays that marriages are based on "tilt draft do us part" instead of the conventional phrase.

To Fort Ord

ROBERT ROSE, also of the class of '50, Riordan High school, has changed his well-known sport sport clothes for the uniform of the U. S. Army. He and Tom left December 3 for Fort Ord. I just hope that "Uncle" can clothe him, as he is such a big guy, but knowing uncle, I'm sure that he will. Write us, bob, and keep that big grin—I'll be looking for it on your first furlough.

P.F.C. "BUBBIE" LEAHY, son of the BERT LEAHYS of Vista Grande avenue, has finally been heard from after his arrival in Germany. Bubbie is in the old university town of Heidelberg, Germany. He has an office job which he likes fine and according to him the town is really beautiful but he would give it all for just one house in Daly City. As Bubbie will get THE RECORD, thanks to their compliments' here's a Merry Christmas to you from all of us.

Discharge

The boys come and the boys go. This one came home. SGT. HOWIE FLETCHER, son of MRS. JUNE FLETCHER of Vista Grande avenue, has completed his service with the U. S. Air Force and has received his discharge. One can just imagine how happy that makes June.

Heard from CPL. SYL CRUZ JR. of Biggs Air Force Base this week. Syl likes it there, as he wouldn't after Korea. His main thought at the present is the possibility of getting home for Christmas. There seems to be a good chance and the fingers of all the neighbors are crossed for him. Hope we see you, Syl.

Gala Evening

Another gala evening was celebrated in our town last week when MISS JOSEPHINE FERRATI reached the ripe age of 16. All her family and many of her friends gathered at a dinner given in her honor. Happy birthday, Josephine, from all the neighbors.

We have a new neighbor to welcome. MRS. DORIS ZELLER, formerly of San Francisco, has just moved to our town and now resides on Evergreen street. She not only has two children but one of them is a star football player at Balboa High school known as ZING ZING ZELLER. Mrs. Zeller has found a way to occupy her spare time—she now works for LYNNIE of the Daly City Beauty Shop.

Married In Las Vegas

Two residents of Daly City took a trip to Las Vegas last week. MRS. MARGARET BUNDY and MR. GEORGE WRIGHT, both well known to many, were married in Las Vegas and not only spent their honeymoon there but managed to come home with money too. Congratulations to the Wright family who are now home to their many friends at their Winchester street address.

MRS. MARY CONTI, one of the nicest people and certainly one of the most well known locally, has been ill for the past two weeks. Seems she has a "crick in her back" and just can't get it straightened out. Get well soon, Mary, as you are missed by all.

MRS. HAZEL MCKETTRICK, who has been in the hospital since

LOCAL SOLDIER APPEARS WITH INFANTRY VARIETY SHOW



A Daly City soldier, Private Peter J. Delfino, (right) appeared last Sunday in a 44th Infantry Division variety show at the McNeil Penitentiary. With

other 44th showmen, he entertained the prisoners for one hour Sunday, November 21, at the prison theater. The men are performing at service clubs and

special shows at the fort. Pvt. Delfino is the son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Delfino, 24 E. Cavour, Daly City.

Tapp Elected To Head S.F. Chamber

Jesse W. Tapp, executive vice president of the Bank of America, has been named 1954 president of the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce. Taking office January 1, he will succeed P. W. Mailliard, III.

Tapp is a member of both the Federal Advisory Committee on Agricultural Policy and the President's Commission on Foreign Economic Policy.

This year he served as chairman of the Chamber's important Agricultural Committee.

before Thanksgiving, has now returned home. All her many friends are glad to hear this and hope she stays well as she was missed by all who know her.

Home From Hospital

One and all in the Hillcrest area will be glad to hear that ROSS MULLER is home from the hospital after almost a week's stay. Ross will still have to stay in bed for awhile until his leg completely heals, but at least he is home. Hurry up and get better soon, Ross, as it isn't too long until Christmas and no one wants to be in bed on that day.

Leave it to the "gals," especially when they are moms. Of course this is in reference to all the ladies who worked so hard before and during the bazaar held at O.L.P.H. last Sunday. Their president and general chairman, MRS. L. THIEBAUT, has already thanked them. Now it is our turn. To each and every mother who worked before, during or donated in any form to the Bazaar, the mothers of the children who attend the O.L.P.H. school would like to say, "for all you have done the years before, this year, and will do in the years to come—in the names of our children—THANKS."

Well, neighbors, this column gets longer as the weeks go on. Thanks from me for all the calls, and keep the phone ringing. Remember, the phone is still PL 5-6482, and I'll be listening for you. Want the names of a boy in the service? Just call me, I'll give it to you. Until next week—bye now.

New Arrivals

MACKIN—November 22, to Mr. and Mrs. Donald P. Mackin, 69 Fairway drive, a daughter.

BENDER—November 24, to Mr. and Mrs. George S. Bender, 168 Frankfort street, a son.

November 22, to Mr. and Mrs. John F. Cunningham, 272 Hillcrest drive, a daughter.

EASSA—November 6, to Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. Eassa, 931 Bradley drive, Broadmoor, a son.

NEWHOFF—November 19, to Mr. and Mrs. William A. Newhoff Jr., 32 Garden Grove drive, a son.

GROSSMAN—November 30, to Mr. and Mrs. Moses Grossman, 20 Weston drive, a daughter.

KORDOULES—December 2, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Kordoules, 4 Muirwood drive, a son.

STACK—December 2, to Mr. and Mrs. John J. Stack, 47 East Gate drive, a son.

SMITH—November 27, to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence E. Smith, 698 Templeton street, a daughter.

BAROWITZ—December 2, to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. Barowitz, 433 D street, Colma, a son.

Colma School Choral To Sing Before PTA

The Colma School Choral group will be in the spotlight next Wednesday night at the Colma school when they appear before the Hillside PTA to render special Christmas numbers.

Mrs. Muriel Vint will direct the group.

The chorals will be donated in the glee club robes completed recently for them by members of the Hillside PTA.

The performance will begin at 8 p.m.

Legion Auxiliary Announces Success Of Gift Project

The American Legion Auxiliary of Daly City has announced the success of the Gift Shop in the Palo Alto Veterans hospital held November 30 through December 4.

These Gift Shops are sponsored by Legion auxiliaries throughout the United States in all tubercular and mental Veterans hospitals. Funds for this project come from the sale of the American Legion red paper poppy sale made by these same hospitalized veterans.

Seventy-five gifts valued at \$108 were placed in the Gift Shop by the Daly City unit. All veterans chose gifts and these were wrapped and mailed free of charge to families and friends.

Mrs. Ann Welch, Mrs. Catherine Foreman, Mrs. Margaret Kenney and Mrs. Vivian Pahlka participated in the purchasing, wrapping and mailing.

Remainder of the cast includes: Michael Drew, Tommy Joyce, Michael Kennedy, Gary Andersen, Jimmy Fife and Richard Bulleto.

CLOGGED MUFFLER

A clogged muffler may cause an automobile engine to be sluggish and perform poorly due to back pressure in the exhaust system, says the California State Automobile Association. This is one of the first things to have checked if your car has lost its pep.

SHOCK ABSORBERS

If your automobile does not ride as smoothly as it should, the cause may be defective shock absorbers, says the California State Automobile Association. Shock absorbers usually require servicing or replacement every 15,000 miles.

Welcome To Daly City!

New Families Moving Into Daly City Recently

William G. Wilder, 1161 Hanover street.
Fred Schoene, 38 Second avenue, apt. 1.
Edward Allen Jr., 124 Station avenue.
Sheldon Hindman, 212 North Mayfair avenue.
Joe Castorina, 191 San Diego avenue.
Herman C. Patron, 529 San Diego avenue.
Thomas D. Harris, 165 Shaker street.
Y. Gonzales, 355 Willis street.
Helen Farrand, 106 East Vista avenue.
Cesare Zunino, 281 Niantic avenue.
H. D. Ellett, 6 Wilshire court.
John P. Devlin, 127 Evergreen avenue.
James Wiley Jr., 151 School street, apt. 4.
Lt. Col. Arthur L. Anderson, 854 North Mayfair avenue.
Bernard M. Murtagh, 68 Fairmont drive.
John M. Vargas, 4 Eastgate.
Frank Piscitello, 270 Irvington street.
L. J. Kruwel, 149 Westlawn avenue.

CUB DEN 8 MEMBERS WILL ENACT NEW YEAR AT DAD'S MEET

Tonight (Friday) at 8 p.m. the Dad's club Christmas party of Cub Scout Pack 135 will be held at the Sunnyside school auditorium.

Some of the entertainment will be given by the Cubs of Den 8.

Their theme is the arrival of the New Year, and the Blake Brunson will play the lead as the Old Year, with Jimmy Kennedy as the new arrival. Billy Sarris will lend background music with his accompaniment.

Remainder of the cast includes: Michael Drew, Tommy Joyce, Michael Kennedy, Gary Andersen, Jimmy Fife and Richard Bulleto.

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December Meeting Of Westlake PTA Attended By 500

The December meeting of the Westlake PTA was attended by about 500 members and friends. The short business meeting was followed by a Christmas program. Christmas songs were presented by the school glee club. About a hundred participated in the presentation of "The Nutcracker Suite" which was enjoyed by the large audience.

Refreshments of coffee and cookies were served by the fifth grade mothers. Ice cream and cookies were served to the children.

Recreation chairman, Mrs. I. Silberstein, announced at the executive board meeting that Christmas parties will be given by the recreation department of Daly City on December 22 at the Serra and Daly City theaters. Mothers from PTA groups in the city will be in attendance.

A rag drive will be held during the third week of January. Please save all rags and clothing. Useable clothing will be used for needy children.

The PTA will entertain the teachers of the school at a Christmas luncheon on Wednesday, December 16.

HOLY ANGELS GUILD SELECT CENTER AS FASHION SHOW SITE

The Daly City community center will be the setting for the "Cover Girl Fashion Show" planned for January 10, 1954, by the Holy Angels Women Guild.

The Holy Angels Women Guild feel that their fashion show will be made socially successful with the facilities offered by this background of modern artful architectural background at the center.

The refreshment committee will serve refreshments at the tables while the fashions are modeled.

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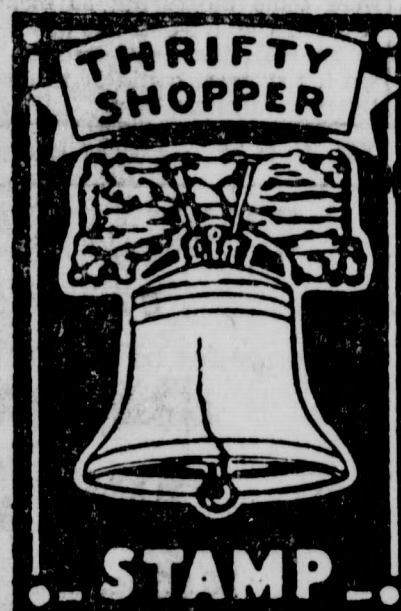
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Jeff Cagers Shine In Two Practice Games

With Forward Don Delbon and Guard Tom Costello netting 58 points between them, Jefferson high school's defending PAL champion varsity cagers waltzed through to win in their first two practice games.

The unlimiteds turned back previously unbeaten Mission last Friday, 52 to 40, as Delbon exploded for 21 points, with teammate Costello hitting for 10. It was Mission's first loss in five starts.

Tuesday the Indians again made it look easy, coasting by Tamalpais varsity, 50 to 43. This time Costello led scoring efforts with 16, while Delbon accounted for 11.

The local 30s split their two contests, topping Mission, 29 to 26, but succumbing to Tamalpais, 46 to 37, in the final quarter.

The 30s win over Mission was impressive, however, since the San Francisco team had gone undefeated until the Jeff contest.

In the Tamalpais game, the locals held a 26-22 half-time advantage, but could muster only 11 points in the second half. Coach Tony Giammona still had kind words for his charges, however, indicating their play against Tamalpais was much better than the score indicated.

Center Ken Duncan led the Jeff lightweighters, scoring nine points in each contest.

Varsity Smooth
Using a strict man-to-man defense for the first time under Coach Mike Orlich's tutelage, the local varsity appeared smooth in both games and a better-than-even threat to pace the 1953-54 PAL parade.

In Costello, Orlich appears to have uncovered another scoring threat to take the place of Larry Blanchard, who last year, along with Delbon, accounted for most of the Jefferson markers.

Riding on two straight wins, the Jefferson varsity basketball team will lay their record on the block today (Friday) against the Polytechnic of San Francisco, rated one of the powers in the SF circuit.

The local 30s, with a 1-1 record, face the tech team in the preliminary at 3:15 p.m. The games will be played at the San Francisco court.

Tomorrow night at the local gymnasium the Jeffs will face another powerhouse in Sonoma, champions of the Valley-Oak league last year. The Sonoma series was begun last year, the Jeffs coming out on the short end and the locals will be out to avenge their loss to the northern team. The 30s will begin at 7:15 p.m., followed by the varsity contest.

Wally Honeywell, who fills Blanchard's forward spot, was a consistent performer in the first two starts, netting 15 points, while John Madden, operating on the starting line-up for the first time, gave Orlich cause for gladness with his rebound work and his 20-point contribution in the two contests.

Ray Rosa, rounding out the first time at guard position, accounted for seven of the Indians points in the practice games.

Orlich appears to have what it takes to annex championships, namely a well-balanced scoring crew with one or two men who can break loose occasionally for 20 or more tallies.

JEFF VARSITY (vs. Mission)		fg	ft	tp
Delbon, f	.....	9	3	21
W. Honeywell, f	.....	3	2	8
Hutchinson, f	.....	0	0	0
Madden, c	.....	3	3	9
Yates, c	.....	0	0	0
Rosa, g	.....	1	2	4
J. Honeywell, g	.....	0	0	0
Costello, g	.....	3	4	10
With, g	.....	0	0	0
		19	14	52

JEFF 30s (vs. Mission)		fg	ft	tp
Rodriguez, f	.....	2	1	5
Storch, f	.....	3	2	8
Gonzales, f	.....	0	0	0
Duncan, c	.....	4	1	9
Lagomarsino, g	.....	2	0	4
Curtis, g	.....	1	0	2
Watso, g	.....	0	1	1
		19	9	29

JEFF VARSITY (vs. Tamalpais)		fg	ft	tp
Delbon, f	.....	5	1	11
W. Honeywell, f	.....	3	1	7
Madden, c	.....	4	3	11
Costello, g	.....	6	4	16
Rosa, g	.....	1	3	5
J. Honeywell, g	.....	0	0	0
With, g	.....	0	0	0
Hutchinson, f	.....	0	0	0
		19	12	50

JEFF 30s (vs. Tamalpais)		fg	ft	tp
Rodriguez, f	.....	3	2	8
Storch, f	.....	3	2	8
Duncan, c	.....	4	1	9
Watso, g	.....	4	0	8
Lagomarsino, g	.....	1	1	3
Curtis, g	.....	0	1	1
		15	7	37

SARTO MIDGETS TOP PORTOLA: CLAIM TIE FOR FIRST IN LEAGUE

Topping Portola Playground 17 to 7 last Saturday, the Sarto Midgets moved into a tie for the San Francisco Midgets league.

Joe Millett twirled the win for Sarto.

The local nine meets St. Paul's at Glen Park tomorrow (Saturday) at noon.

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RALPH TORIGIAN, well-known patron of local sports, has announced plans for remodeling of his quality cleaning establishment at 71 Templeton avenue. His many friends know him as a man interested in the welfare and youth of the community. This same attitude is reflected in the attention he pays to his customers' cleaning needs. Installation of modern facilities at Ralph's will make it possible for him to offer even better service.

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GATOR CAGERS OPEN SERIES AGAINST FRESNO

Coach Dan Farmer's San Francisco State basketball team meets Fresno State tonight (Friday) and tomorrow night in the new Lake Merced gymnasium on the Gator campus. The games start at 8:15 p.m.

The Gators' top scorer—center Bob Leibe—was declared ineligible last week because of the transfer rule. Leibe had tallied 80 points in four games.

Farmer will move forward Al Desin into the vacated pivot position. Desin, who played center last year, is the second Gator scorer with 56 points, while Henry Fort, a talented freshman from El Cerrito, is third with 47.

The Gators whipped Alameda Coast Guard in the opener and then dropped three games on the road—one to San Jose State and a pair to L.A. State.

After splitting a pair with Chico State, Fresno has had losing efforts against such tough CB teams as USC and Santa Clara.

Because of the loss of Leibe, Farmer has decided to rebuild his team. Dan will go with Robert Johnson and Fort, a pair of frosh forwards, and Don Nelson, a sophomore, and Jack Morgan, another soph, at the guard spots. This is a rebuilding plan for future years.

Former Jeff Ace Paces JC Cagers In 80-60 Victory

With the tallest team in his history present, San Mateo Junior college started its basketball season in victorious fashion and will invade College of Marin at Kentfield this Friday night.

The Mateans hosted Vallejo in the season's opener and won 80-60, with Larry Blanchard from Jefferson High leading the scoring for San Mateo with 20 points.

Dec. 19 the Mateans will host El Camino jaycee from Southern California. Dec. 26 Hartnell from Salinas will be at San Mateo. The last home game of the month finds East Contra Costa coming to San Mateo Dec. 29.

STARFISH CLEANUP IN SAN PEDRO AIDS CAUSE OF MOLLUSCS

SAN PEDRO—"Operation Starfish" is over, and nearly 12 tons of starfish on the long outer breakwater of Los Angeles harbor has fallen to a victorious army of more than 250 skin divers.

The five-hour campaign was inspired by the California Department of Fish and Game. Sportsmen from member clubs of the Council of Skin Divers volunteered their services.

The rapidly multiplying starfish, whose suction cup arms can pull open the most determined mollusk, were becoming a serious threat to the big barrier's shellfish population. Hook and line fishermen were feeling the squeeze too, as perch and kelp bass were visiting the breakwater less frequently.

Rosa, Thur, Minor Win All-PAL First Team Honors For Indians

CHAMPS OF DALY CITY RECREATION BASKETBALL LEAGUE



FINISHING WITH a clean slate of four wins, no losses, the high-scoring Alta Roofing team shown above annexed this year's recreation league basketball title. In picture (back row, left to right) are: Bob Cutler, manager; Sam Sankovich, sponsor; Harven Cranow, center; George Manis, manager; Bob Blumenfeld, manager; (center row) Lloyd Sankovich, forward; Jack Lucey, guard; Maury Edelstein, forward; (front row) J. Lavag-

gio, forward; Jim Springer, forward; Merv Leib, forward; at front center is B. Sankovich, mascot. Members of the team not present are George Sudeleff, guard; Jack Spiegelman, center, and Vance Lerner, guard.

Local Paratrooper Receives Promotion

Sergeant Edward Perrins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Perrins, of 1515 Sweetwood drive, Broadmoor Village, was recently promoted to his present rank while serving with Company "E," 511th Airborne Infantry Regiment of the famed 11th Airborne Division now stationed at Fort Campbell, Kentucky.

Prior to his entrance in the Army Sergeant Edward Perrins attended San Mateo Junior college. He received his basic training at Camp Roberts, Calif., and graduated from the Basic Airborne school at Fort Campbell, Kentucky, in July of 1951.

At the present time Sergeant Edward Perrins is Troop Information and Education NCO within the Company.

ly with disappearance of mussels and other food.

Among the thousands of starfish brought up by the goggle and swim-fin clan on a recent Sunday were some measuring 30 inches. A ton of the five-pointers was sent to an experimental processor to see if fish meal could be made of the now valueless pest.

COLMA EAGLES WIN CHAMPIONSHIP WITH 33-0 TRIUMPH OVER STEELERS

The Colma Eagles, led by Captain Paul Tapia, swamped the Colma Steelers, 33 to 0, in the recreation department championship football game last Saturday.

Showing complete mastery over the helpless Steelers, the Eagles passed and ran to six scores and added three conversions to walk off with their second title in two years. The Eagles captured the B division championship as seventh graders.

The under-manned Steelers were not able to contend with the Tapia-Ino Patron passing combination. Tapia completed 14 of 18 passes attempted, amassing more than 300 yards and six touchdowns with his aerials.

Medals will be awarded to the champions at Colma school by Recreation Director James Mason. Those receiving medals for winning the championship will be: Tapia, Patron, Buddy Earnshaw, Bill Brown, Ken Northgrave, Bob Benedetti, Richard Casera, Carl Grossman, Jim Wilson and John Miller.

JEFFERSON DOMINATES MYTHICAL TEAM; HONORABLE MENTION FOR FOUR

Jefferson high school's 1953 varsity grid team, despite their third-place showing in league standings, dominated this year's Peninsula Athletic league team, placing three men on the first eleven, and gaining honorable mention status for four players.

First-place Lincoln landed two men on the honor eleven, as did Burlingame, while Capuchino, South San Francisco, San Mateo and San Jose had one apiece.

The selections were made last week at a gathering of the Peninsula Sportswriters association.

Heading the first string list was Quarterback Ray Rosa, who narrowly missed receiving "Player of the Year" honors. Rosa was unanimous selection for the first team, mainly for his aerial efforts during the season, out-distancing him complete 77 of 139 passes for 988 yards and nine touchdowns.

In the front wall, Jefferson landed Jack Thur, 210 lb. guard who was a stellar blocker in the line and downfield and had a devastating defensive line charge. He was also a unanimous pick.

Placed at one of the flanks was Jim Minor, pass catching wizard who nabbed 28 passes for 312 yards during the season, out-distancing all PAL ends in that department. Minor was also cited for his fine defensive play.

John Madden, Jeff's fine 235 lb. center, was given honorable mention, after nearly landing a second-position spot.

He was beaten out of the first two teams by San Mateo's Gino Della Libera, named to the first squad, and Bill Stewart, Menlo-Atherton, placed on the second aggregation.

Also making the honorable mention classification from Jefferson were End Don Delbon, and Backs Wally and Jim Honeywell.

Rounding out the mythical first team were: Doug De Grant, Burlingame, end; Babe Medrano, Capuchino, Jim Andersen, South San Francisco, tackles; Glen Pierce, Lincoln, guard; Bob Schmidt, Burlingame, John Stewart, Lincoln, and Ben Prather, San Jose, back.

Stewart was also given the honor of "Player of the Year."

For the first time in the history of the Sportswriters association, a "Coach of the Year" selection was made.

This accolade went to Paul Baldwin of Capuchino, who led his inexperienced football students to second place in the league.

The All-PAL second team consisted of: George Kitagawa, San Mateo, Bill De Cristina, San Jose, ends; Al Tognetti, Lincoln, Doug Scolari, San Jose, tackles; Rich Pellizari, Lincoln, Bob Argo, Willow Glen, guards; Bill Stewart, Menlo-Atherton, center; Bucky Kahler, San Mateo, quarterback; Mickey Lax, San Mateo, Ray Hechim, Capuchino, and Del Boccighione, Palo Alto, backs.

Jeff's Champ 20s Place Two Players On All-PAL Team

Jefferson high school's championship 20s basketball team was well represented on the 1953 All-PAL squad named last week, placing two men on the mythical team. Two consistent high scorers all season for the Jeffs, Dick Kalinin and Ron Anguilo, were selected to man the forward spots on the honor team.

Lee Poston of the Jeff 10s landed a first-place spot in his division. His play throughout the season was largely responsible for keeping the locals 10s right near the top all year.

George Rocchi of Jefferson was named to the 10s second team.

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SHOPPING BLOCK

News of Your Local Businesses and Business Men

By JANE KEITH
Plaza 5-6481

TV's "Hallmark Playhouse" tells no lie when it between acts with, "There's a Hallmark Card for every occasion!"—and your Daly City headquarters for these quality cards is McGRAW'S PRESCRIPTION PHARMACY. Hallmark gift wrappings are also available—along with a marvelous selection of gifts for your family! McGRAW'S is located at 6300 Mission street—telephone Plaza 5-6226. Prompt service and free delivery.

DALY CITY HARDWARE'S Frances Nienstiel is back on the job again—with a high recommendation for mustard plasters—all neatly packaged (but strong)! These are available in any drug store: 3 for 39c, 8 for 69c—in extra large sizes! (and mighty comforting to a chest cold.)

Costume jewelry is a pretty common commodity around town these days, but hand the buying palm to Irma Byne, of LEE'S DRUG STORE, for her selection. . . . Some of the nicest sets are a mere dollar—\$1.00—per! And, she's awfully good at helping select that just-right cosmetic, too.

Registered nurse Mary Martin, of Crestwood avenue in Westlake, "Shaggy dogs" this one: "What with all these frozen foods they have nowadays—the latest thing is frozen Band Aids—for Cold Cuts"—Take it away, Mary!

SEYMOUR'S WESTLAKE PAINT & WALLPAPER STORE has been putting its waterproof paints to good use—decorating huge and medium sized pine cones from Sonora's snow country! When you see these "every color," glittered up cones—you'll want a basketful of them for your in and outside Christmas decorating! Prices: 50c for large, 35c for medium, and remember, the paint is waterproof! Address of SEYMOUR'S PAINT STORE is 315 South Mayfair avenue, Westlake—Telephone, not listed due to middle of year change, is Plaza 5-0283.

BARDELLINI'S GIFT SHOP, in Westlake, was proxied on TV's "Let's Go Shopping" program (Channel 7, Tuesdays at 2) by one of her charming ceramic poodles (\$5.95-\$7.95) and a "Maude Tozer" apron (\$3.95). . . . Personally, we fell for another of her aprons—a black nylon net with sequins and velvet plus the handiness of two huge pockets! (\$6.95—and well worth it.) BARDELLINI'S will open Monday-Friday 'til 9 p.m.—Closed Saturday—open Sunday 11-4.

Ever admire those gorgeously wrapped display packages in BERNING'S STORE FOR MEN & BOYS in Broadmoor? Well, Theresa Berning is responsible for the lovelies and says she'll be happy to do the same deluxe job on YOUR Christmas boxes from BERNING'S! No charge, either, just bring in the fancy paper or ornament of your choice and let the artistic Theresa "take over." BERNING'S now open every night from now 'til Christmas.

For whopping big savings on wheel goods—see KIDDIE VILLE'S ad in this paper—and hurry to buy before those consistent KIDDIE VILLE shoppers clean up these price slashing bargains offered by Mr. and Mrs. Godes! Store will be open every day and night 'til Christmas—including Sundays!

TONY OSWALD, who for six months astounded customers of the HILLTOP CAB CO. with his Alsace-Lorraine-ian politeness, is now working at his real trade—as baker and pastryman for S.F.'s famous Blums.

Historical dolls in Book of Knowledge albums (formerly a TV box top deal in conjunction with Fab detergent) are now on sale at the MARKET BASKET for just 99c and no box top! Dolls are lovely—and make really delightful Christmas gifts.

O'BRIEN'S CLOTHING STORE FOR MEN & BOYS (at 6201 Mission street) rates our Gold Shopping Star this week with "State O' Maine" 100% wool robes for just \$15.95! And, a charge system that gives you ninety days to pay—with NO CARRYING CHARGE added to your bill!

Honestly, these robes (in true navy or maroon) are beautiful garments, finely styled—and with the warmth and wearability that 100% wool alone can provide. These, and many other fine quality, gift calibre clothing items are available ALWAYS, at O'BRIEN'S. For instance, for boys—take a look at rayon gabardine, chek trim (knit bottom and cuffed) JACKETS for just \$3.95. They've been specially priced for Christmas—and if you don't believe us, try to find an equivalent (lined) jacket elsewhere for that price!

YVONNE'S CASUAL SPORTSWEAR SHOP, at 6207 Mission street, has the perfect companion for those favorite "Fritzi" blouses in your wardrobe. A black, pencil slim jumper in kitten soft velvet for just \$14.95—with two large pockets and plain jet buttons to make this a basic dress for all the year—and one that can be dressed "up" or "down" for any occasion.

Other jumpers at YVONNE'S are: plain wools, \$10.95; wool tweeds, \$15.95.

Last Friday's shopper at HILLTOP MARKET just couldn't help "ooing" and "aahing" over the 7 foot silver tree out front—all freshly "silvered" for GEORGE GLASS by CEASAR ERCOLE, the man responsible for HILLTOP'S hilarious Halloween pumpkins!

Friday's cold snap had Mrs. TED HOPMAN simultaneously

smouldering with resentment at husband Ted—and goose-pimpling. . . . Seems he tried to convince her the weather was balmy and the cold in her head. . . .

DATE season is on at KEITHLEYS MARKET (6390 Mission street)—and Red has ready to mail boxes of Coachella dates priced at: 5 pounds for \$1.85, 3 pounds for 85c! Just address the box—and mail—for a gift any family will love!

Now is the time to remember that SHAW'S CANDY STORE, in Broadmoor, is more than happy to mail any of their fine candies to any place you choose! Take an extra look at their fine collection of English—and lovely—tins for filling. . . . They make a lovely gift even when empty!

BUDGET SAVING STORE, at 6001 Mission street, is worth anyone's shopping time! Two of our favorite buys here are "Anglo Beef" for 49c a large tin and "Southern Beauty" freestone peaches for 25c per 2 1/2 tin.

The beef is ALL beef (no gristle, no canned taste) and the peaches taste straight from grandmother's fruit cellar! Then too, we surely like those savings stamps of owner Joe Frensenberg—especially when a full book of them gives us \$4.00 worth of BUDGET SAVINGS STORE merchandise! (While you're there, take home some of GUIDO'S delicious corned pork. He has a really super "do.")

WEITZEL'S SHOE STORE, in Broadmoor, has good news for the high school or college man in your family. A really complete stock and selection of shoes with "Continental" heels (that means the welt runs all around the shoe—and looks but sharp) in a price range of from \$10.95 to \$12.95. Suedes, plain, Scotch grain—even white buck—in wing tip or plain toe styles. . . . You'll find these NOW at WEITZEL'S, open 'til 9 p.m. Monday-Friday, from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Saturday, and from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sundays.

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Is it better to overinflate or underinflate automobile tires? All engineers, according to the National Automobile Club, are emphatic on the point: overinflation is much to be preferred.

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Younger Announces Candidacy For Re-Election In '54

Congressman J. Arthur Younger today formally announced his candidacy for re-election as Representative from the 9th Congressional District. Younger stated that he would file on both the Republican and Democratic tickets in the primary election to be held on June 8, 1954.

During his first session in Congress Younger achieved prominence by appointment to the important Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee, which has jurisdiction over scores of domestic policies affecting the welfare of the nation.

Younger also received commendation for his work on behalf of the Pillar Point breakwater project on the San Mateo county coastline and his outstanding presentation of the Redwood City Port development project.

Younger said today he looked forward with enthusiasm to the coming session of Congress when many of the problems which were studied and investigated last year would be acted upon. "I feel confident that the public will see some real action starting January 3rd," Younger declared.

Congressman Younger has already been endorsed by the Young Republicans of San Mateo county and Chairman Minto said he was expecting additional endorsements shortly.

Rincon Hill in San Francisco, south of Market street, was once the home of the elite; today it is the terminus of the San Francisco-Oakland Bay Bridge.

VEHICLE DEPARTMENT LEVIES SUSPENSION ON LOCAL MOTORIST

One local motorist received a suspension of drivers license and another was placed on probation in recent action taken by the state department of motor vehicles.

Wally Rudolph Sesman, 522 San Diego avenue, had his license suspended, while Vernon Selig Dallman Jr., 465 Southgate avenue, was placed on probation.

Convicted of code section 502, driving while intoxicated, with no suspension recommended by court, was Alex Kahler of the Treasure Island Trailer court in Colma.

Receiving permanent reinstatement of licenses were Francisco Joaquin Alvade, 262 Alexander avenue, Arthur Paul Castagnoli, 348 Winchester street, and Gerald Ernest Marks, 1615 Sweetwood drive, Broadmoor.

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OBITUARIES

Annie Huffman

Friends are invited to attend the funeral of Annie Huffman, 69, 430 Knowles avenue, who passed away on Wednesday, December 9, at Community hospital in San Mateo. Services will be held Friday, December 11, at 2 p.m.

A native of England, she is survived by her husband, Oscar, and daughter, Sally Huffman. She is the sister of John Welch of San Mateo.

Services will be conducted from the mortuary of W. C. Lasswell Co. Interment will follow at Cypress Lawn Memorial Park.

John H. Scanlon

A Requiem Mass was held on Monday, December 7, for John H. Scanlon, 50, of 261 Los Olivos street, who passed away last week at Junipero Serra hospital following a short illness.

A native of San Francisco, he was an employee of the Railway Express company. He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Margaret Sargent and Patricia Iredale; a brother, Thomas, and a sister, Esther M. Scanlon.

Services were conducted from the mortuary of W. C. Lasswell Co. Interment was a Holy Cross cemetery.

Henry A. Sernack

Funeral services were held yesterday (Thursday) for Henry A. Sernack, 66, of 101 Shakespeare street, who passed away on Saturday, December 5, in San Francisco.

Sernack was a member of the Marine Fireman's Union and Colman Vista Grande Aerie No. 1849, F.O.E. He is survived by his wife, Mary C. Sernack, and son, Henry A. Sernack Jr.

Services were held from the mortuary of W. C. Lasswell and Co. Interment followed at Greenlawn cemetery.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 20572
Estate of ROMELDA BACCIOCCO, also known as ROMELDA M. BACCIOCCO, also known as MRS. LOUIS A. BACCIOCCO, also known as MRS. L. A. BACCIOCCO, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, as executor of the estate of said decedent, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the decedent, to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the County of San Francisco, State of California, in and for the County of San Francisco, to present them, with the necessary vouchers, to the executor at the office of his attorney, EUGENE H. O'DONNELL, 785 Market Street, in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, within six months after the first publication of this notice.

As executor of the last will and testament of said decedent.

Dated, San Francisco, California, November 25th, 1953.
EUGENE H. O'DONNELL,
Attorney for executor.

(Pub. Dec. 3, 10, 17, 24, 31, 1953.)

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 20528
Estate of AMELIA BERTETTA, also known as AMELIA S. BERTETTA, also known as AMELIA SOPHIE BERTETTA, also known as A. S. BERTETTA, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of said decedent, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent, to file them, with the necessary vouchers, within six months after the first publication of this notice in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the County of San Francisco, State of California, in and for the County of San Francisco, to present them, with the necessary vouchers, within six months after the first publication of this notice, to the said ALFRED BERTETTA, at 6654 Mission Street, Daly City, California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate.

Dated this 23rd day of November, A.D. 1953.

JOHN A. PUTKEY,
6654 Mission Street,
Daly City, California
PLaza 5-4900
Attorney for Administrator

(Pub. Nov. 26; Dec. 3, 10, 17, 24, 1953.)

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 20492
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SAN MATEO

In the matter of the Estate of NICOLAS SAGO, also known as N. SAGO, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned attorney for the Executor of the Estate of NICOLAS SAGO, also known as N. SAGO, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent, to file them, with the necessary vouchers, within six months after the first publication of this notice, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo, or present the same, with the necessary vouchers, within six months after the first publication of this notice, to the said Executor at 6654 Mission Street, Daly City, California, the same being the place for the transaction of business of said estate.

Dated this 23rd day of November, A.D. 1953.

JOHN A. PUTKEY,
6654 Mission Street,
Daly City, California
PLaza 5-4900
Attorney for Executor

(Pub. Nov. 26; Dec. 3, 10, 17, 24, 1953.)

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 20537
Estate of WILLIAM BUSCH, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, as executor of the last will and testament of said decedent, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the decedent, to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the County of San Francisco, State of California, in and for the County of San Francisco, to present them, with the necessary vouchers, to the executor at the office of his attorney, EUGENE H. O'DONNELL, 785 Market Street, in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, within six months after the first publication of this notice.

As executor of the last will and testament of said decedent.

Dated, San Francisco, California, November 25th, 1953.

EUGENE H. O'DONNELL,
Attorney for executor.

(Pub. Dec. 3, 10, 17, 24, 31, 1953.)

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CITATION

No. 6010
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SAN MATEO

—of—
ROBERT FRANCIS DORINSON, A Minor Who Should Be Declared Free from the Custody and Control of His Parent.

TO THE FATHER OF THE ABOVE NAMED PERSON, JOHN ERIC DORINSON, AND TO ANY PERSON CLAIMING TO BE THE FATHER OF ROBERT FRANCIS DORINSON.

You are hereby notified that there has been filed in this Honorable Court a verified petition showing that the above named minor Robert Francis Dorinson is within the County of San Mateo, State of California, and is a person coming within the provision of the Welfare and Institutions Code of the State of California, and praying for an order of said Court determining Robert Francis Dorinson to be an abandoned child within the terms and meaning of Article IV, Section 22 of the Constitution of the State of California;

NOW, THEREFORE, you are hereby cited and directed to appear before this Honorable Court on January 13, 1954, at 1:30 o'clock P.M., at the courtroom of the Juvenile Department, which is Dept. No. 1, County Court House, Redwood City, County of San Mateo, California, then and there to show cause, if any you have, why an order should not be made by this Court adjudging and determining said Robert Francis Dorinson to be an abandoned child within the terms and meaning of Article IV, Section 22 of the Constitution of the State of California, and within the meaning of Section 224 of the Civil Code of the State of California;

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SMJC NEWS NOTES

San Mateo Junior college announces the death of Edward Lanphier, a member of the faculty since 1936, on December 5. A graduate of Tulane university in 1919 and the University of Southern California in 1934, Mr. Lanphier taught chemistry at the college.

He was widely known through the county as chief of radiological defense in the Civil Defense program of San Mateo county. He was responsible for the organizational set-up and the training of personnel until recently when ill health necessitated his resignation from active responsibility.

Funeral services were held on Monday, December 7, in Burlingame. Memorial contributions may be made to The American Heart Association.

The first annual presentation of Handel's "Messiah" by the music department of SMJC was enjoyed by an appreciative audience on Sunday, December 6, at the San Mateo High School Auditorium. Participating groups from the college included the Peninsula Choral, the Millbrae Chorale, and the San Mateo Women's chorus. Individuals from church choirs on the peninsula augmented the group, directed by Howard A. Kay. Soloists were Marcia Hunt, Ruth Roehr, Albert Drees, and Fredric Roehr. Joan Harrison and O. E. Erpenstein were accompanists at the piano and organ.

The SMJC Marching Band will leave for Pasadena on Saturday, December 12, to play at the Junior Rose Bowl festivities. A parade of junior college bands and combined marching formations will precede the game.

Howard A. Kay is the director of the band.

President and Mrs. Elon E. Hildreth will hold Open House in honor of the freshmen at SMJC on Sunday, December 13.

The freshmen have been invited to the president's home on Coyote Point campus from three to five o'clock. Faculty members will assist in receiving the guests.

The seventh annual exhibit of Christmas flower arrangements by students of San Mateo Junior college will be presented to the public on Friday, December 18, from seven to ten o'clock in the evening, and from ten to five during the day on Saturday, December 19. The exhibit will be held in the San Mateo Junior college library at the Baldwin campus.

Arrangements will be entirely for Christmas decorations and will include table arrangements for dining, coffee, and occasional tables, mantel arrangements, door swags, and wreaths.

The contemporary spirit will predominate in design and the use of materials and color. Arrangements will feature the work of students from the six day and evening classes which Mr. Jack Daniels teaches. Student hostesses will be present to greet the guests and answer questions about the exhibit.

The public is cordially invited by the college to view the exhibit on December 18 and 19.

San Mateo Junior college will present two classes in action on Wednesday, December 16, from 9 to 4 in Building 14 at Coyote Point campus. Weaving classes taught by Ida Dean and clothing and millinery classes taught by Alice Wood Danielson will carry on their regular activities at the same time that their work is exhibited. The public is invited to visit the workrooms.

The work of the design class in weaving will include samples of designs created by students. Fabrics in suitings, table linens, cocktail aprons, and draperies woven by college weavers will be on display.

The class in clothing and millinery will demonstrate not only the techniques of garment making but of adapting clothing and hats to suit the individual through pattern and design changes. Representative items of a woman's wardrobe and millinery for varied occasions will be exhibited by the combined classes of 150 women.

The first fireproof building erected in San Francisco was the Parrott Granite Block, California and Montgomery Streets, built from granite blocks dressed in China.

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LAKE MERCED POST, AUXILIARY FETE PAST OFFICERS

The past commanders and past presidents of the Lake Merced Post 9921, Veterans of Foreign Wars and Ladies Auxiliary were fete at a gala dinner held last Saturday at the Club Casino in Daly City.

Old friendships were renewed and new acquaintances made and among the honored guests were the following:

Past commanders—Dick McCoy, charter and first commander of the Post, and Mrs. McCoy, Jack Kelleher and Mrs. Kelleher, Pat Patev and Mrs. Patev, Godfrey Woods and Mrs. Woods, Edward Diaz and Mrs. Diaz.

Past presidents—Gladys Holt, Hazel Eagleton and Rose Fisher.

Commander A. L. Cuykendall acted as toastmaster and cited the rapid growth of the Post and its Ladies Auxiliary in community activities and youth guidance work, and hospital recreational program, and introduced Thomas Murray, Department of California, Junior Vice-Commander, who spoke on VFW work and complimented the group on its part in the community.

Hold Folk Dancing At Pershing P. T. A.

The General Pershing PTA evening meeting December 1 wound up with a session of gay folk dancing joined in by children and grownups alike. Previously Mrs. Muriele Pabst and a group from her classes ably demonstrated several folk dances. Then Mrs. Pabst taught several of the dances to the audience.

The third grade pupils of Miss Chrysanthea Lekas and of Miss Ruth Nelson sang a group of Christmas songs. Then Mrs. R. Gilmore led the audience in familiar Christmas carols. She was accompanied at the piano by Miss Winifred McGrath.

Christine Eiden and Darlene Schmidt tap-danced in cowgirl costumes and sang Guy Lombardo's "Christmas Chopticks."

Preceding the program there was a short business meeting with a brief discussion of plans for the bazaar, which is to be held February 19. Announcement was made that the children's Christmas party will be held in the school December 18, with Santa Claus on hand to distribute gifts.

Pepper vines are trained to climb poles and other supports like a grape vine.

LOCAL MAN TO PRESIDE AT OFFICER LUNCH

Ben F. Blount of 1208 Nimitz drive, Daly City, president of the Federal Procurement Officers' association of Northern California, will preside at the Christmas luncheon meeting at 12 noon on Wednesday, December 16, at the Leopard Cafe, 140 Front street, San Francisco.

Harold R. Morrison, district purchasing agent, Union Oil Company of California, also past president of the Purchasing Agents association of Northern California and past national area director of the National Association of Purchasing Agents, will be the main speaker for the month. His subject, "Ethics In Purchasing."

Nate Loveland, assistant supply officer, Regional Office, Veterans Administration, San Francisco, also a member of the Federal Procurement Officers' Association of Northern California, will outline "Veterans Administration's Mission in Northern California."

President Blount recently returned to Daly City from attending a 2 months course at the Quartermaster Procurement School at Ft. Lee, Virginia.

Members from Fresno, Merced, Stockton, Fairfield, Moffett Field, Sacramento, as well as the Bay Area will be present.

Post, Auxiliary Of Legion Plan Party

The American Legion Post of Daly City, in conjunction with the Legion Auxiliary, will sponsor a Christmas party for veterans' children. The party will be held at the Legion hall, 474 San Diego avenue, on Saturday, Dec. 12, at 7 p.m.

All youngsters of Legion members, under 12 years of age, are urged to attend. Movies and music will be part of the evening's entertainment. Santa Claus will be present to pass out gifts and refreshments will be served.

This Christmas party is an annual event for the American Legion and a good turnout is expected for this occasion.

Eagles Auxiliary Whist Is Stated For Tuesday

Tuesday evening at Eagles hall the monthly whist of the Colma Vista Grande Aerie Ladies Auxiliary will be held promptly at 8:30 p.m.

First prize, donated by Dan Radovich of the Safeway Meat company, is an order for a turkey.

County Industry Stated For "Success Story"

Richfield Oil company's TV "Success Story" will feature a San Mateo county industry this Tuesday at 8 p.m. over Channel 7.

The story of Eitel-McCullough electronics plant in San Bruno will unfold over the half-hour long show.



BOARD OF DIRECTORS for 1954 of the Westlake Home Improvement Association are (from left to right) Starr Dunham, Arch Lumardi, Joseph Toboni, Ed Molkenbuhr, and Chas. Norton. Norton and Dunham replaced Bill Zigler and Howard

Dunbar, while the other three members served on last year's board.

THE RECORD photo

COALITION OF GOP FORCES FOR KNIGHT INDICATED BY RECENT APPOINTMENTS

Recent appointments by Raymond J. Daba, general chairman of the Knight-for-Governor campaign in San Mateo county, are interpreted by GOP sources here to indicate a general coalition of Republican forces on behalf of Gov. Knight's election in 1954.

Backers of Vice-president Richard M. Nixon, Senate majority leader William F. Knowland and former Governor Earl Warren are enlisting in the Knight campaign, according to Daba, who has announced the following recent appointments to prominent places on the Knight-for-Governor bipartisan steering committee:

Aylett B. Cotton, San Mateo county campaign chairman for Nixon when he ran for the Senate and national "advance man" for Nixon during his vice-presidential campaign; P. W. "Tom" Brubaker, who was county campaign chairman for Knowland in a campaign that racked up 115,715 county votes for Knowland as against 12,593 for his opponent; Atherton Mayor Harry A. Mitchell and Michael B. O'Connor, longtime Warren supporters, who were delegates for Warren at the 1952 Republican National convention in Chicago.

Each of these Republican leaders will hold a key position in the Knight gubernatorial drive in San Mateo county, chairman Daba says.

Benicia Arsenal, built in 1852, was the only arsenal maintained by the War Department in California in pioneer days.

The California Palace of the Legion of Honor is situated on a hilltop in Lincoln Park at Land's End in San Francisco.

Most Famous Star At Planetarium

The story of the most famous of all stars—the Christmas Star—will be told at Morrison Planetarium in Golden Gate Park at San Francisco this month. Audiences will see a dramatic re-creation of the sky that looked down on the first Christmas Eve.

Approach all curves with caution, advises the National Automobile Club.

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Postmaster John F. Fixa today officially opened the 1953 Christmas mailing season by issuing his annual appeal for early mailing.

It is expected, Fixa said, the volume of holiday mail may exceed the all-time high of 30,436,600 cancellations recorded here in 1952. This will strain our facilities severely he said unless our patrons cooperate by depositing their Christmas mailings early.

Postmaster Fixa's formula for a successful Christmas season is based on the wholehearted cooperation of all mailers doing the following:

1. Stop at the Post Office next week to purchase the extra stamps you're going to need, thus avoiding the last-minute crowds. When buying stamps for Christmas cards, bear in mind the desirability of sending the cards by first class mail at the 3c rate.

2. Check and revise your Christmas card address list this coming weekend.

3. Lay in adequate supplies of heavy cardboard, sturdy outer paper and strong cord for wrapping

gift parcels.

4. PRINT IN INK, plainly and completely, the full name, address and Zone Number on the face of each parcel. Don't forget to put your RETURN ADDRESS on the outside as well as in the inside of parcels, a safety measure which will help to identify lost or damaged articles.

5. Observe the following mailing dates:

Mail for Eastern State..... Dec. 10
Other out-of-city points..... Dec. 15
Mail for local delivery..... Dec. 18

Due to size and weight limitations, mailers are urged to consult the post office on all parcels over 20 pounds in weight and over 72 inches measurement, length and girth combined.

Air Parcel Post addressed to persons care of Army and Navy Post Offices is limited to 2 pounds in weight and 30 inches in length and girth combined.

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Ten to fifteen minutes usually is regarded as a sufficient interval to allow the engine to cool before adding water if the radiator content has become unduly low causing the motor to become overheated, reports the National Automobile Club.

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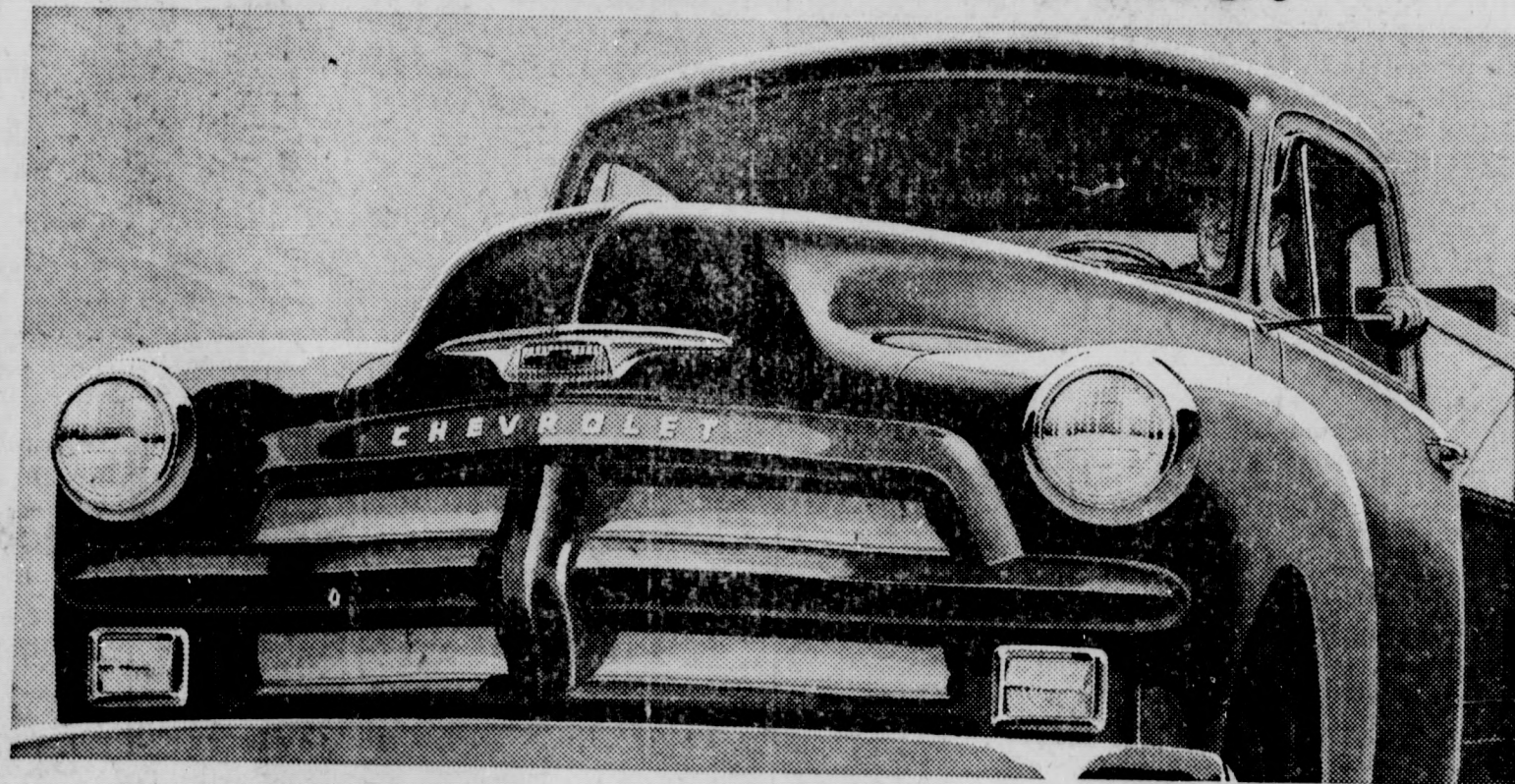
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